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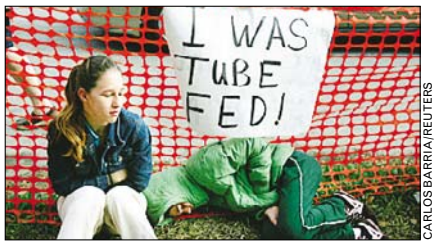

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POP SHOT: An anti-Michael Jackson protester displays a sign as the pop singer and his father enter court.

Jackson's Past In Play

SANTA MARIA, CALIF. | In a major setback for Michael Jackson, a judge ruled Monday that the jury can hear allegations that the pop star molested or had designs on five other boys, including actor Macaulay Culkin and two youngsters who reached multimillion-dollar settlements with the singer.

District Attorney Tom Sneddon said Jackson's inappropriate activities with these boys included kissing, hugging and inserting his hands into their pants. He also said there was a pattern of "grooming," or preparing the boys for molestation, but did not elaborate.

Jackson, 46, is on trial on charges he molested one boy — then 13 — at his Neverland ranch in 2003. In most criminal cases, evidence of past behavior is not admissible against a defendant. However, the California Legislature changed that in 1995, specifically in cases of child molestation and domestic violence.

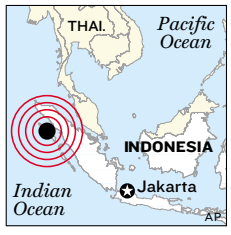
The incidents allegedly occurred 12 to 15 years ago, and the prosecutor acknowledged that only one of the five boys has agreed to testify at Jackson's trial.

The defense asked Judge Rodney Melville to exclude the allegations, saying they were based on third parties, many of whom were after Jackson's money. LINDA DEUTSCH (AP)

Indonesia Hit Again By Quake

Up to 2,000 feared dead in region leveled by tsunami

BANDA ACEH, INDONESIA | A powerful earthquake struck off Indonesia's west coast late Monday, killing hundreds of people whose homes collapsed on them and spreading panic across the Indian Ocean that another killer tsunami was on the way. Indonesia's vice president predicted up to 2,000 deaths.



But fears of a second tsunami catastrophe in just over three months eased within hours, as officials in countries at risk reported their coasts clear of the type of quake-spawned waves that ravaged a dozen countries in Asia and Africa on Dec. 26.

Almost all the deaths reported in the hours immediately after Monday's quake were on Indonesia's Nias island, off Sumatra island's west coast and close to the epicenter.

Police were pulling children's bodies out of the rubble of collapsed houses, and a fire was reportedly raging in one town.

In the town of Gunungsitoli, about 70 percent of buildings collapsed in the market district, officials said. The MISNA missionary news agency in Rome reported that a huge fire was raging in the town early Tuesday.

A police officer, who identified himself as Nainggolan, said rescuers were trying to pull people out of the rubble, and that many were still panicking because of several aftershocks. MICHAEL CASEY (AP)

TINY | **Bobo Bites Back** Mail carriers in Hobart, Ind., were unable to deliver mail to a local street recently because of a highly aggressive, 4.5-pound Chihuahua named Bobo. He "was 10-foot tall when he was on the street," said Florence Page of the Hobart Humane Society, which picked up the dog twice for running loose. "It's kind of comical, you know, but after a while it's not anymore." Bobo was reportedly aiming for the ankles, though he did not successfully bite anyone. (AP) **EyeOpeners** | Page 2

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REUTERS

IMPROVEMENTS

Less Tilt, Better View, No Soul

The city of Pisa is set to get another leaning tower. More than 600 years after the city's most famous monument went up, officials have approved construction of a modern office building about three miles southeast of the original, which will simulate a tilt with a trick of lighting, Milan daily Corriere della Sera reported Sunday. Architect Dante Oscar Benini said the view from the top of his tower will include the older tower that inspired it. "The two towers will look at each other and historic Pisa and the Pisa of the future will be virtually united," Benini told Corriere. (AP)

LOSS

The Saddest Easter in the World

Plastic Easter eggs that a family mistakenly donated to a thrift store before realizing they were stuffed full of cash remained missing Monday. Manager Paul Kolb said a woman came into the Manitowoc, Wis., store earlier in March looking for the eggs, which had been among her late grandmother's possessions. The woman had kept only her grandmother's diary. Reading it, she found out too late what a special Easter her grandmother had planned. The eggs were filled with "a considerable amount" of cash. (AP)

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MEDICINE

Nurse, Get Me A Banana, Stat

The Birmingham Zoo's Babec made history when, this past September, he became the first gorilla to receive a pacemaker. But the Alabama beast apparently damaged the device in a fight with another gorilla and had to get a second one installed this past weekend. Babec is recovering from his successful surgery at home with his keepers, caregivers and family group, the Zoo said. (AP)

JULIA EWAN/TWP

INJUSTICE!

Who Says Kids Today Are Disaffected?

Harvard University students are snapped, crackled and popped at the loss of name-brand cereals in their dining halls, the Boston Globe reported. The school has replaced such classics as Fruit Loops and Cap'n Crunch with strange, no-name brands like Tootie Fruities, Marshmallow Mateys and Colossal Crunch (they're cheaper and supposedly healthier). "Harvard Students for the Reimplementation of Brand-Named Cereals" was recently formed to combat the injustice, the Globe reported. (EXPRESS)

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CITY LIGHTS: La Pine, Ore., a rural town of about 5,800 residents, will get its first traffic light next year, officials said. Gary Judd, county traffic engineer, said the signal will have an impact, especially on perceptions: "Some people just don't understand that it's becoming a little city."

Nation

In Brief

WASHINGTON

High Court Weighs Rights Of Foreign Murder Suspects

Foreign murder suspects have no rights to challenge their convictions on the grounds they were improperly denied legal help from their consulates, the Supreme Court was told Monday in a case testing the effect of international law in death penalty cases. Justices heard the case of Jose Medellin, a Mexican who says his rights under a U.S. treaty were violated when a Texas court sentenced him to death in 1994 without giving him consular access. (AP)

SOMERVILLE, N.J.

Baby Sitter Allegedly Took Child to Hide Miscarriage

A baby sitter faced kidnapping charges Monday for allegedly snatching a 5-month-old baby she tried to pass off as her own after concealing a miscarriage. Ana Marie Martinez, 52, was arrested Sunday morning, almost 24 hours after she disappeared with the infant from his Bridgewater home. (AP)

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Judge to Set Date Soon for Start of Moussaoui Trial

A federal judge said Monday she would soon set a trial date for Zacarias Moussaoui, the only U.S. defendant charged in connection with the Sept. 11, 2001 attacks. U.S. District Judge Leonie Brinkema said the government and Moussaoui's lawyers have conferred privately and agreed on a trial schedule. (AP)

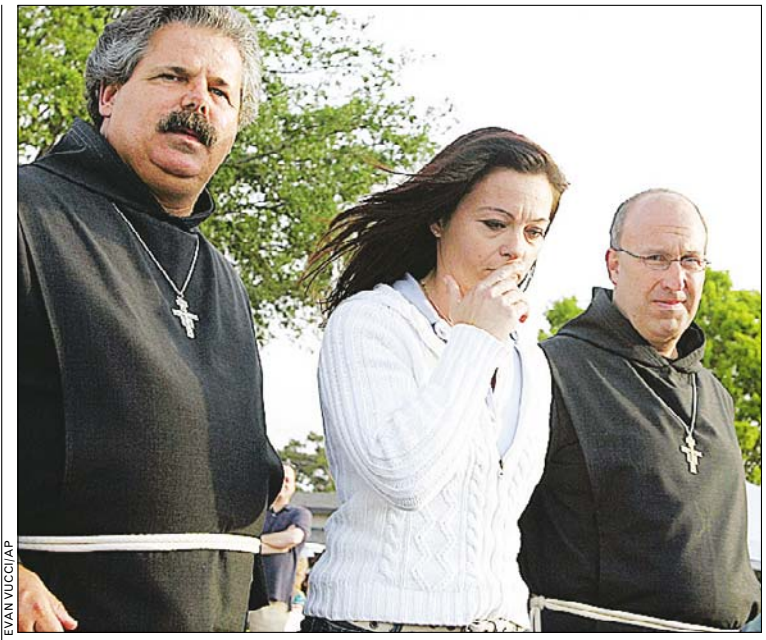
Schiavo Continues to Cling to Life

Father says Fla. woman responsive; husband looks to autopsy plans

PINELLAS PARK, FLA. | Described by her father as weak and emaciated, Terri Schiavo clung to life, as police stepped up security outside her hospice room and demonstrators prayed for last-minute government intervention in her case.

Supporters of prolonging the severely brain-damaged woman's life carried their protests to the White House and Congress on Monday, while her father repeated his plea that she be kept alive.

"She's still communicating, she's still responding. She's emaciated, but she's responsive," Bob Schindler told reporters after a morning visit with his daughter.



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SUPPORT: Suzanne Vitadamo, Terri Schiavo's sister, with Brother Hillary McGee, left, and Brother Paul O'Donnell after a news conference in Pinellas Park, Fla.

Schiavo, 41, was in her 11th day without the feeding tube. Her parents pressed again for President Bush, Congress and Gov. Jeb Bush to intervene to have the tube reinserted, and supporters protested outside the White House gates.

George Felos, the attorney for husband Michael Schiavo, told reporters later that he had visited Terri Schiavo on Tuesday and described her as "very peaceful."

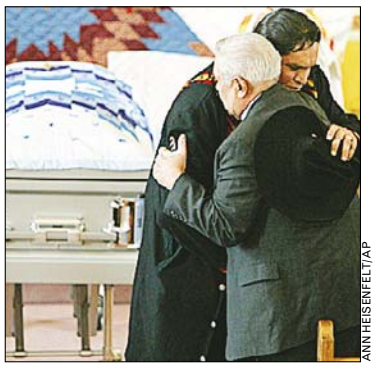
Felos also said that the Pinellas County chief medical examiner had agreed to perform a future autopsy on Schiavo. He said that her husband wants proof of the extent of her brain damage.

As Schiavo drew closer to death, extra police officers blocked the road in front of the hospice, and a school next door was closed so students could avoid the crowd. (AP)

Juvenile Arrested in Minn. Rampage

No details released on link to attack; services held for more victims

RED LAKE, MINN. | A juvenile has been arrested in last week's shooting rampage on the Red Lake Indian Reservation, federal authorities said Monday. They would not say how the juvenile was believed to be connected to the attack, which left 10 people dead, including the 16-year-old gunman.



ANN HEISENFELT/AP

Francis Brun, front, attends services for his son, security guard Derrick Brun.

U.S. Attorney Tom Heffelfinger said the juvenile was arrested Sunday, but declined to give any details, including the age and gender of the juvenile.

Separately, funeral services were held for some of the shooting victims Monday, including school security guard Derrick Brun, 14-year-old student Alicia Alberta White and teacher Neva Rogers.

Services for the teen shooter, Jeff Weise, were also planned for Monday. (AP)

Former Diplomats Oppose Bolton

WASHINGTON | Fifty-nine former U.S. diplomats are urging the Senate to reject John R. Bolton's nomination to be the next U.S. ambassador to the United Nations.

"He is the wrong man for this position," they said in a letter to Sen. Richard Lugar obtained by the Associated Press.

Their criticism dwelled primarily on Bolton's stand on issues as the State Department's senior arms control official. (AP)

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FOIE PAS? Lawmakers in Oregon, New York, Illinois and other states are considering making possession of foie gras, or fattened duck liver, a criminal act, as debate simmers over the force-feeding process used to produce the delicacy.

U.S. Not Resting Soundly

Study: 75 percent of adults report frequent problems sleeping

WASHINGTON | Getting a good night's sleep is hard for many adults and that often means poorer health, lower productivity on the job, more danger on the roads and a less vibrant sex life.

"By 3 to 4 in the afternoon, I'm starting to feel brain-drained and I need that caffeine to pick me back up again," said Becky Mcerien, 50, of Philadelphia.

She gets about 6.5 hours of sleep a night — slightly less than the adult average of 6.9 hours reported by the National Sleep Foundation.

A poll for the foundation, released Tuesday, indicates that three-quarters of adults say they frequently have a sleep problem.

Most ignore the problem and few think they actually have one. Only half of those polled were able to say they slept well on most nights.

Symptoms of a sleep problem include difficulty falling asleep, waking a lot during the night, waking up too early and not being able to get back to sleep, waking up feeling unrefreshed and snoring. SIOBHAN MCDONOUGH (AP)

SNOOZE BUTTON

More findings in the sleep study:

- **Six in 10** adult motorists said they have driven while drowsy.
- **Roughly one-fourth** of respondents who have partners report that their sexual relationship has been hurt because they have been too sleepy.
- **Some 47 percent** report they stay up later than they planned at least a few nights a week. (AP)

Report Chides Pakistan, China on Human Rights

State Department cites repression of political, religious, social groups

WASHINGTON | The State Department renewed its criticism of the human rights records of Pakistan and China on Monday in a report that followed U.S. decisions to arm Pakistan with jet fighters and to avoid a showdown with China on the way it treats its people.

The report, which focused on U.S. efforts to improve human rights in 98 nations, was issued by Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice, who said the Bush administration was "on the right side of freedom's divide."

The report credited Pakistan with some human rights improvements but said it continued to have a poor record. It said the government of President Gen. Pervez Musharraf had amended the country's constitution to strengthen his powers at the expense of the National Assembly.

China was more heavily criticized in the report for suppressing political, social and religious groups as well as individuals. BARRY SCHWEID (AP)

CHARLES DHARAPAK/AP

Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice presented the U.S. findings Monday.

Astronauts Finish Venture in Space

CAPE CANAVERAL, FLA. | The two space station astronauts installed antennas and released a baby Sputnik during a 4 1/4-hour spacewalk Monday, completing the work just before the orbiting outpost drifted and rolled slightly because of overloaded gyroscopes.

The astronauts were in no danger, and the slow roll — which lasted just 17 minutes — was not unexpected.

The two station residents have spent the last several weeks dealing with an assortment of breakdowns, including an oxygen generator that is still not working. (AP)

ARTIFACTS | MARKED CALENDAR

JEFF GAGE/UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA/AP

OLD TIME ROCK ROLLS: Employees at the Florida Museum of Natural History prepare to install a replica of a 16th-century Aztec calendar stone Monday in Gainesville, Fla. The stone is on long-term loan from the Smithsonian.

Obscenity Forcibly Tattooed on Teen

NORWICH, N.Y. | A man and a teenager have been charged with forcibly tattooing an obscenity on the forehead of a 17-year-old boy, police said Monday.

Officer Craig Berry declined to describe the tattoo, except to say it was a phrase.

Kenneth D. Peer, 23, and an unidentified 17-year-old boy were charged with assault and unlawful imprisonment.

The victim walked into the police station Friday to file a complaint. He told officers he had been held down by a man and another teen at a Norwich residence while they forcibly tattooed the vulgarity. (AP)

'Pioneer' Arrested For Transporting Drugs, Weapons

ST. LOUIS | A man dressed like an old-time pioneer and parked along Interstate 70 puzzled deputies with his claim that he was headed to South Dakota with Bibles and "supplies" for American Indian children.

Then the deputies noticed a smell of marijuana as the man argued with them, and they searched his vehicle and found a staggering arsenal, including loaded pistols and an assault rifle with a 30-round clip and a bullet in the chamber.

A double-edged knife with an 8-inch blade was in the sun visor above the man's head, and a loaded two-shot Colt Derringer pistol was in his pocket, authorities say.

"He said it was all self-protection and that it's dangerous out West," St. Charles Sheriff's Lt. Craig McGuire said of Thursday's traffic stop that authorities said also uncovered an array of drugs.

The man was shirtless with military-style boots, cargo pants and an American Indian vest.

John W. Hill, 46, of High View, W.Va., was charged with possession of a loaded firearm while intoxicated, plus two counts of drug possession, St. Charles County Prosecutor Jack Banas said Monday. JIM SUHR (AP)

Today in The Washington Post

Wheels-Free: A D.C. couple says their travels got easier once they ditched their clunker and joined a car-sharing service. | *A Section*

Rigors of Age: Should the federal government decide whether its high-level members are too old to continue to serve? | *A Section*

Go Left, Young Man: College faculties lean further to the political left than most conservatives would imagine, a new study says. | *Style*

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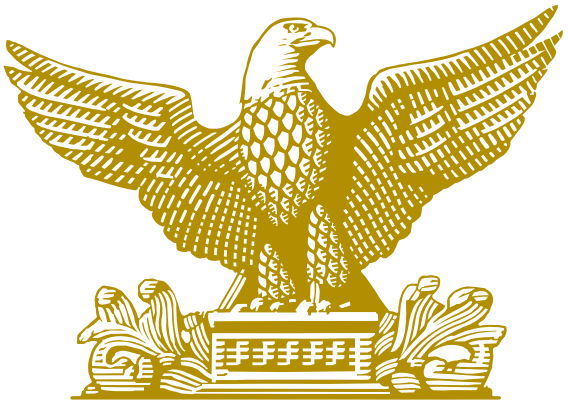

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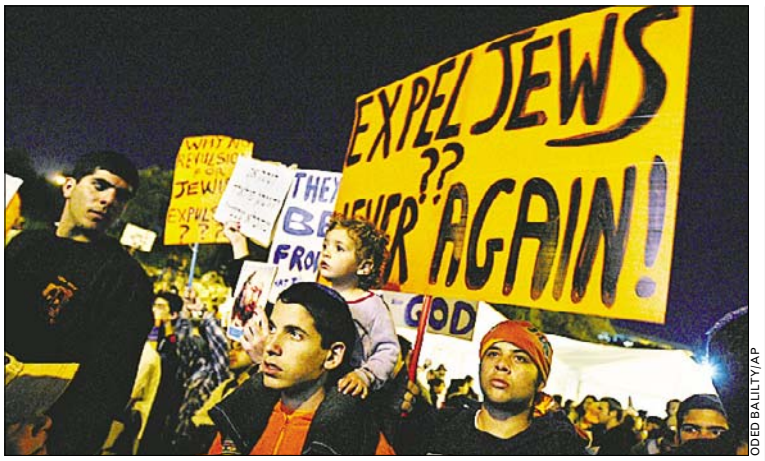
Gaza Withdrawal Passes Key Test

Settlers demoralized by defeat in Knesset but vow to fight on

JERUSALEM | Israel's parliament on Monday rejected a last-ditch attempt to torpedo Prime Minister Ariel Sharon's plan to withdraw from the Gaza Strip, vetoing a proposed national referendum. The plan now goes to the nation's Supreme Court.

Demoralized by the defeat, settlers said they would move their fight into the streets, promising to bring 100,000 protesters to the settlements slated for evacuation to prevent the withdrawal.

They also pinned hope on the Supreme Court, which agreed Monday to hear a challenge to the law providing the legal framework for the withdrawal from the Gaza Strip and four West Bank settlements.



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Settlers demonstrate against the planned pullout outside the Knesset on Monday.

Approval of a referendum would have almost certainly delayed the withdrawal, scheduled for this summer, and could have brought down Sharon's government and forced new elections.

After a debate that was repeatedly interrupted by the shouts of angry lawmakers, several of whom were ejected, the Knesset defeated the referendum proposal 72-39.

The disengagement plan repeatedly has won Knesset votes. In what will likely be its final legislative test, Sharon must get his budget passed by Thursday, a near certainty after the opposition Shinui Party agreed over the weekend to support the spending plan.

The Supreme Court hearing was set for April 8 before an expanded panel of 11 judges, the Courts Administration said. Such a large panel is generally reserved for landmark cases. RAVI NESSMAN (AP)

U.S. Sets Aside $83M to Upgrade Its Afghan Bases

KABUL, AFGHANISTAN | The United States is pouring $83 million into upgrading its main military bases in Afghanistan, an Air Force general said Monday in a sign that American forces will likely be needed in the country for years to come as al Qaeda remains active in the region.

U.S. Brig. Gen. Jim Hunt said the funds were being spent on projects already under way at Bagram, the main U.S. base north of Kabul, and Kandahar in the south.

Meanwhile, in a reminder of the instability still facing the country, a roadside bomb hit a Canadian Embassy vehicle and another car in Kabul, injuring four people. (AP)

Kyrgyz Parliament Still in Dispute

BISHKEK, KYRGYZSTAN | More political leaders threw their support behind Kyrgyzstan's newly elected parliament Monday in a bid to restore stability to this impoverished Central Asian nation following the dramatic ouster of President Aska Akayev.

It remained to be seen whether the move would be accepted by opposition supporters, whose violent protests over alleged voting irregularities in parliamentary elections chased Akayev from the country Thursday.

Bakiyev

Hundreds of demonstrators outside the parliament building called recognition of the new legislature a betrayal. But the crowd dispersed peacefully after interim leader Kurmanbek Bakiyev, a former prime minister who joined the opposition to Akayev, promised that allegations of electoral abuses would be dealt with.

Bakiyev, who urged Akayev to formally resign, spoke to the demonstrators after recognizing the new parliament as legitimate, which he did after that body named him prime minister.

Both the new parliament and the old legislature have been vying to retain control. (AP)

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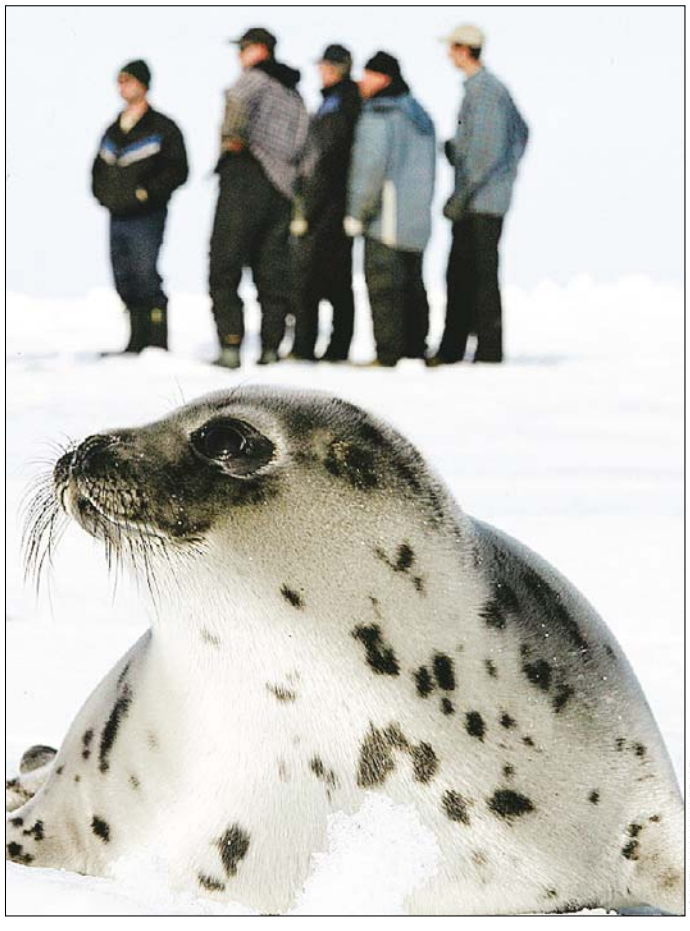
Belarus Protesters Sentenced to Jail

MINSK, BELARUS | A court sentenced nearly two dozen protesters Monday to jail terms of three to 15 days for participating in an anti-government demonstration inspired by the upheaval in Kyrgyzstan.

Nearly 1,000 people rallied outside the offices of President Alexander Lukashenko on Friday demanding the resignation of the authoritarian leader.

Riot police eventually beat back the unauthorized rally, arresting 34. Rally organizers, scheduled to be sentenced later, could face up to three years in prison. (AP)

CANADA | HUNTERS & PREY



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SHADOWED: A harp seal sits on an ice floe in the Gulf of St. Lawrence on Canada's Prince Edward Island on Monday as a group of seal hunters, shown in background, speak with reporters. Canada's annual seal hunt — the world's largest — begins Tuesday. The government has defended the hunt, saying the country's seal population is healthy and abundant.

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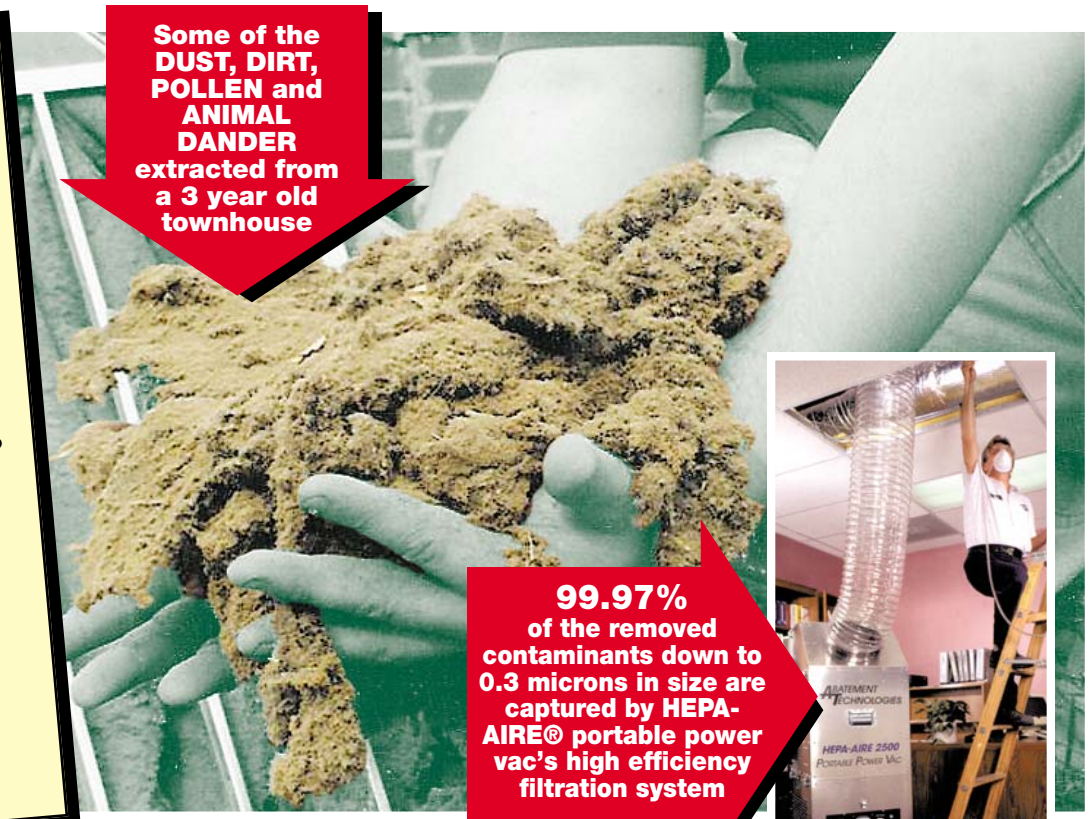

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World

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Fast living in China's richest city has taken a toll on the local sperm count, Reuters reported, citing the state-run Shanghai Daily. Shanghai's sperm bank collected just 6,000 samples in two years and many were of "poor quality," reportedly a result of unhealthy lifestyles, emotional stress and environmental pollution.

Report To Fault Annan

But oil-for-food probe finds U.N. chief wasn't involved in corruption

NEW YORK | Investigators probing the U.N. oil-for-food program will report Tuesday that U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan was not involved in any corruption related to the humanitarian program for Iraq but will criticize his failure to deal with the conflict of interest posed by his son Kojo's employment by a contractor, officials said.

The report, to be released Tuesday, will also criticize the secretary-general for failing to detect shortcomings in the United Nations' internal bureaucracy that allowed problems in the program to continue until 2003 when the program was ended after the U.S.-led war in Iraq, the officials said Monday.

It will be highly critical of Kojo Annan for concealing information about his dealings with the Swiss company, Cotecna Inspection S.A., which won an oil-for-food contract in December 1998, and for deceiving his father, the officials who have seen the report said, speaking on condition of anonymity.

The investigation team is led by former U.S. Federal Reserve chairman Paul Volcker. (AP)

VATICAN CITY | WAITING IT OUT

PIER PAOLO CITO/AP

NO-SHOW: A crowd waits for Pope John Paul II to appear at his studio overlooking St. Peter's Square Monday. The pope, who has appeared every Easter Monday of his 26-year pontificate, failed to appear, ending the holiday as silently as he began it. Recovering from surgery to insert a tube in his throat to help him breathe, the pope last spoke publicly on March 13.

In 'Eire,' a Victory for the Native Tongue

Road signs and the battle against English rule

DUBLIN, IRELAND | Tourists, beware: Your guide book may tell you the way to Dingle in County Kerry, but all the road signs will be pointing you toward An Daingean in Contae an Ciarrai instead.

In an age where many people bemoan English's growing global influence, advocates of local languages scored a small victory Monday when Ireland enacted a law outlawing English in road signs and official maps on much of the nation's western coast, where many people speak Gaelic.

In all, more than 2,300 towns, villages, fields and crossroads that traditionally had both English and Gaelic names have had their previously bilingual road signs changed to Irish only. The change chiefly affects three far-flung regions of the western seaboard called the Gaeltacht, which has long been the nation's last stand in the battle against English dominance.

The initiative has placed a new focus on the battle to preserve Gaelic in Ireland, where the language faded from everyday use in the 19th century, when Britain ruled the land. SHAWN POGATCHNIK (AP)

In Brief

UNITED NATIONS

U.N. Says It Won't Pay Legal Fees for Oil-for-Food Chief

After intense criticism, the United Nations reversed its decision to pay the legal fees of former oil-for-food program chief Benon Sevan, who was accused of serious wrongdoing in his handling of the operation, a U.N. spokesman said Monday. Fred Eckhard, the spokesman for Secretary-General Kofi Annan, said the decision not to pay Sevan's fees was made "after consultation with the legal department," but gave no further explanation. (AP)

RUSSIA

Museum Director Fined for 'Blasphemous' Exhibit

A Moscow court on Monday convicted the director of the Sakharov Museum of inciting religious hatred by organizing a controversial exhibit condemned by the Russian Orthodox Church. Yuri Samodurov also was fined $3,600.

The 2003 exhibit included a Russian Orthodox-style icon with a hole where visitors could insert their heads. Another work featured a Coca-Cola logo with Jesus' face next to it and the words: "This is my blood." Members of the church called the exhibit blasphemous. (AP)

BY THE NUMBERS: The value of reported fraud in Britain more than doubled in 2004, to $1.4 billion from $619 million, according to research by accountants published Monday. (AP)

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Local

TOP HEAVY: The percentage of Virginians qualifying as obese is growing at the fastest rate in the nation, a federal study has found,

with 23.7 percent qualifying as obese, up from 9.9 percent in 1990. West Virginia has the highest percentage of obese adults, at 27.5 percent.

D.C. Area Turns To Car-Sharing

Zipcar, Flexcar report big rise in popularity throughout the region

WASHINGTON | When Matt Clausen's car broke down about a year ago, the timing was bad. His wife was eight months pregnant and the Capitol Hill couple did not want to deal with the hassle of buying a new car or spending a lot of money on repairs.

So Clausen, 33, made a decision that friends greeted with raised eyebrows. He gave up his 1991 Toyota Corolla and became one of thousands of area residents to sign up for a car-sharing program.

"I tried it out for a few weeks and found that it worked so well," said Clausen, who is a member of Zipcar.

When public transportation will not do, Clausen can jump on the Web or pick up the phone, and in minutes he can reserve one of several vehicles parked in his neighborhood.

Zipcar, which has 116 cars in the region, has seen its membership more than double to 8,600 in the past year, officials said. Flexcar also is growing in popularity, with 110 cars locally and about 6,500 participants.

Transit officials have embraced the idea, viewing the program as a way to boost ridership on buses and trains. Metro has cars at 61 stations.

BRIAN WESTLEY (AP)

WHITE HOUSE | BRAVING THE WEATHER

KEVIN LAMARQUE/REUTERS

STOPPED SHORT: Children take part in the annual Easter Egg Roll on the South Lawn of the White House on Monday morning. Heavy rain eventually forced organizers to end the traditional event several hours early.

Woman Followed At Metro Station Attacked at Home

CHEVY CHASE, MD. | Police were looking Monday for a man who followed a woman home from the subway, then attacked her in her apartment building.

Montgomery County investigators said the 24-year-old victim came out of the Friendship Heights Metro station Sunday afternoon. A man came up and complimented her but, according to police, she ignored him and kept walking.

When she reached her building, she realized the man had followed her when he entered the elevator with her. Investigators said he told the woman he had a gun, demanded money, then forced her to perform a sex act. The suspect was later frightened away when a janitor happened by. (AP)

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Jury Selection Begins In 'Virginia Jihad' Trial

ALEXANDRIA, VA. | Ali al-Timimi, a Virginia Islamic scholar with an international reputation, admits he counseled other Muslims after the Sept. 11 attacks to leave the United States and live in countries where they could more freely practice Islam.

At his trial, which began Monday with jury selection, prosecutors intend to prove that the Fairfax resident did much more, urging followers to go to Afghanistan, join the Taliban and take up arms against U.S. troops.

The government's case against al-Timimi is closely linked to its earlier prosecution of 11 men who prosecutors said were part of a "Virginia jihad network" — a group of men who played paintball games in 2000 and 2001 in the woods of Northern Virginia as a means of training for holy war around the globe.

Nine of the 11 people prosecuted in those cases were convicted and received prison sentences ranging from three years to life. Several who struck plea bargains are expected to testify against al-Timimi.

MATTHEW BARAKAT (AP)

The Lotteries

Monday, March 28

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Mid-day Lucky Numbers	7-0-0
Evening Lucky Numbers	2-7-3
Mid-day DC 4	4-4-2-8
Evening DC 4	0-7-5-2
Quick Cash	15-27-28-22-18-29
Hot Five	1-5-32-13-12

MARYLAND

Mid-day Pick 3	6-7-6
Evening Pick 3	0-5-4
Mid-day Pick 4	9-7-0-2
Evening Pick 4	0-5-7-8
Match 5	13-16-31-33-34 Bonus: 11

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Mid-day Pick 4	8-6-6-9
Mid-day Cash 5	13-16-21-24-32

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47 **The number of grams** of fat, along with 730 calories, packed into Burger King's new Enormous Omelet Sandwich. Its two eggs, sausage, three strips of bacon and two slices of cheese top the Whopper hamburger's 42 grams of fat and 700 calories.

Money

Sony Told to Halt PlayStation Sales

$90M payment ordered for violating patents

SAN JOSE, CALIF. | Sony Corp. has been ordered to pay $90.7 million and halt U.S. sales of PlayStation consoles for infringing on another company's patents.

The trial judge granted a stay on the sales ban, however, pending Sony's expected appeal.

San Jose-based Immersion Corp. sued Sony in 2002, claiming it violated two of its patents related to technologies that simulate the sense of touch in videogame play. A federal jury decided in favor of Immersion in September and ordered Sony to pay $82 million in damages. On Thursday, U.S. District Judge Claudia Wilken affirmed the decision, tacking on $8.7 million in interest.

Wilken also granted a permanent injunction that would bar the manufacture, sale or import into the United States of any PlayStations, controllers and games that infringe on the two Immersion patents.

Immersion's suit specifically names the PlayStation consoles, Dual Shock controllers and 47 games. Immersion Chief Executive Victor Viegas said Sony's new portable PlayStation, launched last week, does not appear to infringe on Immersion patents. (AP)

Market Action

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Cenveo	4.74	+.49	+11.5
GoodrPet	21.58	+2.05	+10.5
NL Inds	23.27	+1.93	+9.0
SunGard	34.36	+2.81	+8.9
ParTch	15.43	+1.03	+7.2

Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Solectrn	3.67	-.59	-13.8
GrafTech	5.41	-.72	-11.7
ParkHan	59.66	-7.89	-11.7
AmerisBrg	54.03	-7.08	-11.6
TritonPCS	2.02	-.18	-8.2

NASDAQ Stock Market

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
DgImpct	3.45	+1.16	+50.7
TaylrDv	4.79	+1.48	+44.7
AsteaIntl	8.45	+2.04	+31.8
EltekLtd	5.35	+1.28	+31.4
Delphax	3.48	+.73	+26.5

Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Ligand B	5.88	-2.35	-28.6
AllASem	4.60	-1.30	-22.1
PacificNet	7.65	-2.12	-21.7
LexarMd	5.22	-1.10	-17.4
NeoseT	2.55	-.52	-16.9

Rates

	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK
Prime Rate	5.75	5.50
Fed Funds close	2.8125	2.75
3-month	2.78	2.76
2-year	3.87	3.71
10-year	4.64	4.53
30-year	4.89	4.83

Currency (Dollars in foreign currency)

	TODAY	PREVIOUS DAY	YEAR AGO
British Pound	.5361	.5353	.5510
Canadian Dollar	1.2204	1.2184	1.3181
European Euro	.7765	.7723	.8249
Japanese Yen	107.14	106.32	105.90
Mexican Peso	11.3040	11.2570	11.1020
Taiwanese Dollar	31.63	31.49	33.27

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Biotech Stocks

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	YEAR TO DATE PERCENT CHANGE
Amgen	58.47	-.51	-8.9
ApplBio	20.37	-.15	-2.6
BiogenIdc	38.10	-.70	-42.8
Celgene s	32.25	-.68	+21.6
ChRvLab	47.26	-.54	+2.7
Chiron	35.38	-.30	+6.2
Genentch s	56.90	-1.85	+4.5
Genzyme	57.79	+.68	-.5
GileadSci s	35.17	-.20	+.5
Imclone	35.33	-3.17	-23.3
Invitrogn	70.86	-.14	+5.6
LabCp	46.25	+.30	-7.2
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Yoga Remixed

Russell Simmons' DVDs add hip-hop to the Eastern practice

FITNESS | Yoga and hip-hop aren't usually uttered in the same sentence; the two worlds seem diametrically opposed, yoga with its taint of upper-middle-class lifestyle and hip-hop with its roots in urban street culture. If there were one person who could bring them together it would be Russell Simmons, and the music-film-television-apparel mogul wants to do just that, with a new video series due out in April.

"Russell Simmons Presents Yoga Live" merges yoga and hip-hop into a set of four videos that promotes weight loss, flexibility, relaxation and toning through yoga, and adds original hip-hop music. Simmons is co-founder of Def Jam Records and founded the successful clothing lines Phat Farm and Baby Phat. He is widely credited with taking rap and hip-hop to underexposed markets and into the mainstream, and with "Yoga Live" he hopes to do the same.

"If yoga could become an important part of American culture, it could promote more well-being in America and the world," Simmons said. "This could be a better, brighter cultural landscape."

JENNIFER SZYMASZEK/AP

Simmons says yoga helped him drop 30 pounds and defeat insomnia.

Simmons credits yoga (which he took up as a way to meet women) with helping him lose 30 pounds, become a vegan, cure his chronic insomnia and develop a deeper sense of spirituality. Proceeds from sales of the first series of videos, which retail for $40, will benefit his Rush Philanthropic Arts Foundation. (See www.getyogalive.com for more information.)

The videos feature an attractive, multiethnic cast; an airy, colorful set; and a hip-hop soundtrack tinged with Eastern music. Simmons chose the instructors and made sure all aspects of yoga were embraced. He doesn't actually appear in the videos, but he will be in the infomercials, which debut in April.

Simmons hopes lending his name to the venture will help woo a larger audience to yoga. "The fact that I'm presenting it makes it different," he said. "We're playing cooler music and have cool instructors, and it retains all the integrity of this 5,000-year-old practice."

JEANNINE STEIN (LOS ANGELES TIMES)

"If yoga could become an important part of American culture, it could promote more well-being in America and the world."

Spring Brings Earlier Sniffles

ALLERGIES | Spring allergy season is hitting with a vengeance in many parts of the country, with the relatively warm, wet winter in many regions resulting in loads of tree and other pollens and mold.

Dr. Maria Lania-Howarth, head of allergy and immunology at Cooper University Hospital in Camden, N.J., expects a strong early peak for the allergy season.

Despite plenty of snow and cold weather in the Northeast in late February and early March, early bloomers such as birch and elm trees are budding and putting out lots of pollen, she said.

March's windy weather can blow pollen and mold around for miles, bothering anyone sensitive to them, so Lania-Howarth tells patients to start taking their medicines two to four weeks before the time that their symptoms normally begin.

Dr. Ronald Saff of Allergy & Asthma Diagnostic Treatment Center in Tallahassee said patients with severe allergies should consider prescription nasal steroid sprays, such as Nasonex and Flonase, or immunotherapy shots that gradually decrease sensitivity to allergens such as pollen.

Some doctors are trying what's been dubbed "rush immunotherapy," where the doses of weekly allergy shots are stepped up quicker to bring relief earlier than usual, said Dr. John Meiser of Pediatric Allergy/Immunology Associates in Dallas. LINDA A. JOHNSON (AP)

Why do nearly a quarter of U.S. adults still smoke? Find out in today's Washington Post, Health Section.

HOLED OUT: Bob Tway set a dubious record Monday by hitting four balls into the water and making a 12 on the par-3 17th island green at The Players Championship. The previous record was an 11 by Robert Gamez in 1990.

Sports

STEPHEN MORTON/AP

Fred Funk celebrates after sinking a putt on the 18th hole on Monday.

Funk Bests Weather to Win TPC

GOLF | It took five days for The Players Championship to resemble a major. Fred Funk had to wait even longer to show he's a big-time player.

A former college golf coach and career grinder, Funk delivered clutch shots over the water and the only par putt that mattered, a 5-footer on the final hole that gave him a one-shot victory Monday in the toughest final round the TPC at Sawgrass has ever had.

"I can't believe it," Funk said, choking back tears. "I didn't fathom this happening."

He closed with a 1-under 71, then had to wait until Luke Donald missed a 20-foot birdie putt from just off the green before celebrating the seventh — and by far the biggest — victory of his career.

Funk, 48, became the oldest winner of The Players Championship with a final round with conditions that were tougher than most majors because of 35 mph wind. (AP)

Brown Passes on Redskins

Aftey delaying choice twice, defensive end accepts Broncos' offer

FOOTBALL | Courtney Brown, the talented yet injury-prone defensive end, on Monday accepted the Denver Broncos's offer, concluding a protracted courtship involving several suitors — including the Washington Redskins — according to sources familiar with the situation.

The 6-foot-4, 290-pounder kept the Redskins and Broncos in suspense through a process that started March 14, by twice postponing his decision — initially the previous weekend and then Thursday.

As recently as Friday, Brown remained torn between the teams, sources said, after final telephone pitches from Denver Coach Mike Shanahan and Redskins Coach Joe Gibbs.

Terms of the contract were undisclosed, but sources described it as a multiyear deal with incentives tied to Brown's ability to stay healthy.

Brown — the top overall pick in the 2000 draft — was released by the Cleveland Browns on March 14 after declining to take a substantial pay cut. Brown drew heavy interest despite having missed 33 games during his five-year NFL career, finishing the past four seasons on the injured reserve.

Brown's decision was the latest free-agent setback — albeit a relatively minor one — for Washington, which earlier this offseason failed to re-sign linebacker Antonio Pierce (New York Giants) and cornerback Fred Smoot (Minnesota Vikings).

NUNYO DEMASIO (THE WASHINGTON POST)

ORIOLES | PALMEIRO GETS BACK TO BUSINESS

JAMES A. FINLEY/AP

HIGH FIVES: The Baltimore Orioles celebrate after Rafael Palmeiro, No. 25, hit a two-run homer with two outs in the bottom of the ninth inning for a 7-6 win over the Florida Marlins Monday. Palmeiro, who testified in the Congressional steroids hearing earlier this month, is chasing his 3,000th career hit this season. He already has 551 career home runs.

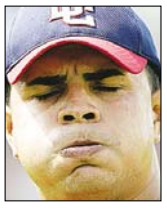
Nationals Put Armas On the DL

Already suspect staff gets bad news a week before season starts

NATIONALS | The Washington Nationals' pitching staff, already a question mark heading into the season, suffered a blow Monday when Tony Armas Jr. was placed on the 15-day disabled list.

Armas sprained his right groin while pitching against the New York Mets on Sunday. He was scheduled to pitch on April 6 against the Philadelphia Phillies — Washington's second game of the season.

Interim general manager Jim Bowden told www.nationals.com that Armas is likely to miss his first four starts of the year. "The injury affects the whole team, but you can't push a pitcher with a groin injury or you will lose him for the whole year," Bowden said. "We have to get the groin right."



Armas

It's the fourth straight year the talented but injury-plagued right-hander has landed on the disabled list.

John Patterson is set to take over as the team's fifth starter, and will start on Friday against the Tampa Day Devil Rays.

MATT SWENSON (EXPRESS)

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TODAY'S TV LINEUP

COLLEGE HOOPS (9 P.M. ON ESPN2) A win over the University of South Carolina puts Maryland in the championship game of the NIT.

COLLEGE HOOPS (7 P.M. ON ESPN2) Saint Joseph's faces Memphis in the other NIT semifinal.

WOMEN'S HOOPS (7 P.M. ON ESPN) Michigan State plays Stanford for a trip to the women's Final Four. Tennessee and Rutgers then play at 9 p.m. (also on ESPN) for a spot in the national semifinals.

TENNIS (1 P.M. ON ESPN) The women's quarterfinals of the NASDAQ-100 Open in Key Biscayne, Fla.

Phelps Seeks to Get His Groove Back

SWIMMING | Six-time Olympic gold medalist Michael Phelps is weary of the exhibition tours, training swims and injury rehabilitation. It's time, he believes, to start winning races again.

"The most important thing is just getting back in rhythm, getting into a groove," he said on Monday.

Phelps is about to embark on his most ambitious agenda since the Athens Games. He is scheduled to compete in seven events at the U.S. world swimming trials, which begin on Friday in Indianapolis.

If things go well, Phelps could qualify for three relay teams, setting up the possibility of qualifying for an impressive 10 events at July's world championships in Montreal.

For Phelps, this week marks his new start. "I think there's more excitement, not nervousness," he said. "This is my favorite part of swimming, competing." (AP)

Sports

SLIDING SCALE: Kobe Bryant was eager to prove himself without Shaquille O'Neal before the season. Maybe he has regrets now that the

Lakers have lost eight games in a row and will likely be sitting at home when the playoffs begin — with O'Neal's Miami Heat a top seed in the East.

The Big 10 Comes Up Huge

League hushes critics with two Final Four teams

COLLEGE HOOPS | Excuse the Big Ten if it gloats a bit these days.

Dissed and dismissed all year as being weaker than the other power conferences, the Big Ten is showing its mettle when it counts. After putting three teams in the regional finals of the NCAA tournament, the Big Ten is sending Illinois and Michigan State to the Final Four this weekend.

For those keeping score, that's one more Final Four team than the vaunted ACC. And two more than either the Big East or the Big 12.

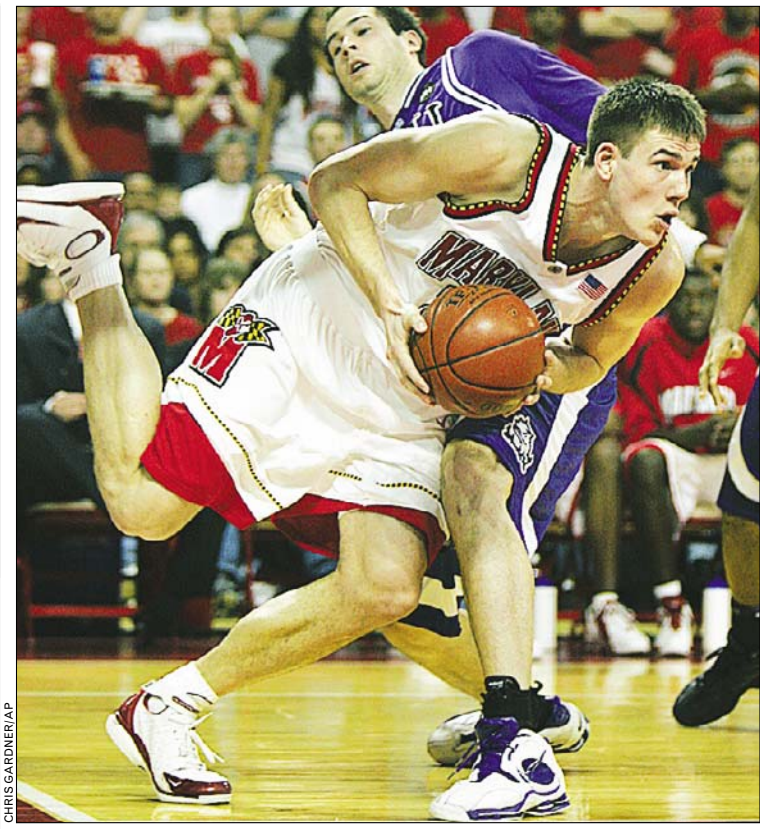
Knocking the Big Ten has become the thing to do in recent years. Critics say it isn't as strong as it once was, with an RPI this year that was sixth-best among the elite conferences and only three teams in the final Top 25. Others say it can't compare with the ACC.

After Illinois lost for the first time this season, for example, it kept its No. 1 ranking but 22 voters went for North Carolina, a team with three losses.

But when it comes time for the NCAA tournament, few conferences match the Big Ten. It has the most appearances of any conference, and trails only the ACC in victories (309-278). This is the third time since 1999 it's had two teams in the Final Four, and seventh time since 1976.

Since 1997, six league teams have made at least one Final Four appearance. Michigan State, which will play North Carolina on Friday night, is playing in its fourth Final Four since 1997.

"When they put it on the TV screen, the conferences and the records, we're on top right now, so it's a good feeling," Illinois coach Bruce Weber said. NANCY ARMOUR (AP)



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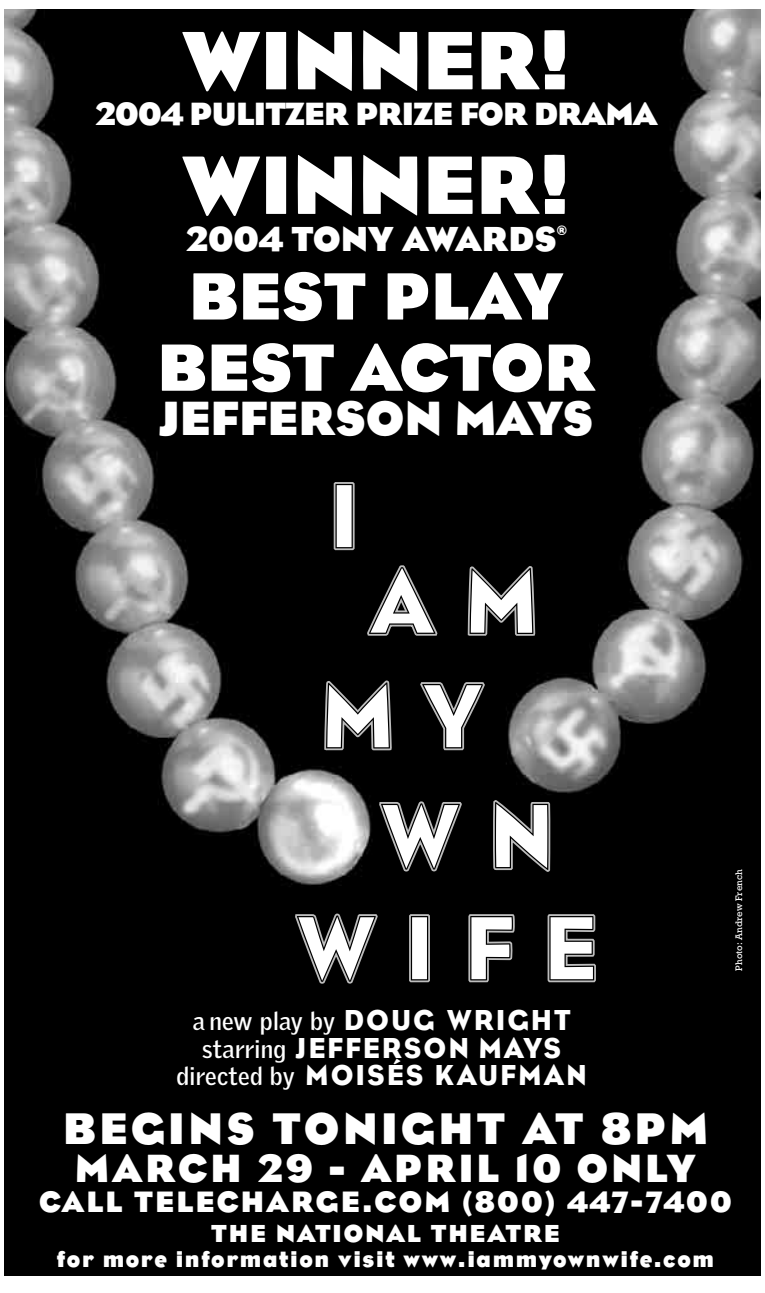
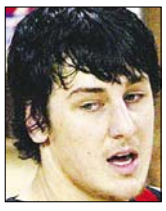
Maryland's Nik Caner-Medley, front, drives through Texas Christian's Art Pierce on the way to the basket in Maryland's win on Saturday in the NIT quarterfinals.



Utah's Bogut to Leave School for The NBA Draft

NBA | Utah center Andrew Bogut will enter the NBA draft, forgoing his final two years of eligibility to possibly become the No. 1 choice.



Bogut

"I have no regrets and full-speed ahead," the 7-footer from Australia said at a news conference Monday.

Bogut, the leading vote-getter on the AP All-America team, averaged 20.4 points and 12.2 rebounds while leading the Utes to a 29-6 season, which ended with a loss to Kentucky in the regional semifinals of the NCAA Tournament.

He is expected to be a lottery pick in the NBA draft and possibly the first player chosen overall with his exceptional ballhandling skills for a center. Bogut has hired an agent, making him ineligible to return to school. (AP)

Terrapins Make the Best of NIT Experience

Maryland faces South Carolina in semifinals

COLLEGE HOOPS | Though subordinated to the National Invitational Tournament two weeks ago by the NCAA Selection Committee, the Maryland Terrapins don't have an inferiority complex as they enter tonight's NIT semifinal game against South Carolina.

"It's a big deal," Terps coach Gary Williams said of the NIT after his team's 85-73 quarterfinal win over Texas Christian on Saturday. "I'll never get too big to play in the NIT."

Both Williams and South Carolina coach Dave Odom said they view the NIT as a prime opportunity to pick up confidence and experience. And each is looking to restore as much pride to this season as possible.

Maryland team officials said their squad will probably be without point guard John Gilchrist, who hasn't played in the NIT due to ankle and wrist injuries.

Even without its volatile leader, Williams hopes his team will get all it can out of the NIT.

"Sure, two weeks ago we were disappointed we didn't get in the NCAA Tournament, but now we're where we are, and you make the best out of it," he said. BRENDAN LOWE

Pearl Gets Vols Job After NCAA Run

COLLEGE HOOPS | Bruce Pearl was introduced as Tennessee's basketball coach Monday after leading Wisconsin-Milwaukee on a surprising run to the Sweet 16 of the NCAA tournament.

Tennessee failed to make the NCAA tournament in four years under coach Buzz Peterson, who was fired March 13 after a 14-17 season.

The Vols' last tournament appearance was in 2001.

"I have complete confidence that he will take our program to the next level," university president John Petersen said.

Tennessee gave Pearl a five-year contract and will pay him $800,000 a year, plus bonuses. (AP)

JERRY'S GAME: The University of Hawaii will hire former Atlanta Falcons coach Jerry Glanville as its defensive coordinator, espn.com reported Monday. He will work under head coach June Jones, who replaced Glanville as the Falcons coach in 1994.

Sports

Mali Soccer Fans Riot After Match

SOCCER | Enraged Mali soccer fans set cars ablaze, looted shops and destroyed monuments early Monday, hours after rushing onto the field and forcing the suspension of a World Cup qualifying game against Togo.

Dozens of people sustained minor injuries, Interior Minister Colonel Sadio Gassama said. A building housing the local Olympic committee was burned down, committee director Habib Sissoko told the AP.

The fans at the stadium were angered Sunday after Togo took a 2-1 lead late in the game. Dozens of fans rushed the field, and police fired tear gas and officials stopped the game. Togo later was awarded the victory by the African Soccer Confederation, although FIFA will have the final say. (AP)

WHO KNEW? Dee Brown's got a new game: ESPN NBA studio analyst. The ex-slam-dunk contest champ won the spot as the prize in the third season of ESPN's "Dream Job." He beat out five other ex-NBA players: Matt Bullard, Darryl Dawkins, J. R. Reid, Dennis Scott and Gerald Wilkins. (AP)

American Puts Dent in Competition

TENNIS | Taylor Dent beat a top-10 player for the fourth time this year Monday, eliminating Guillermo Coria 6-3, 6-4 in the third round at the Nasdaq-100 Open.

The departure of Coria, the runner-up last year, left just one of the six highest-ranked players — No. 1 Roger Federer — in contention with four rounds still to go. The highest-seeded man left in one half of the draw is No. 13 Ivan Ljubicic.

Dent, seeded 31st, used his serve-and-volley game to keep Coria on the defensive. Dent lost only four points on his first serve, never faced a break point and won 37 points at the net.

GREGORY SHAMUS/REUTERS

Dent's become a giant killer in tennis.

This year the Californian has also beaten No. 2-ranked Lleyton Hewitt, No. 4 Marat Safin and No. 9 David Nalbandian. "I feel like if I execute my game, I'm going to give anybody in the world a handful of trouble," Dent said.

Also reaching the fourth round was six-time champion Andre Agassi, who hit 12 aces and took barely an hour to beat Arnaud Clement 6-2, 6-4. STEVEN WINE (AP)

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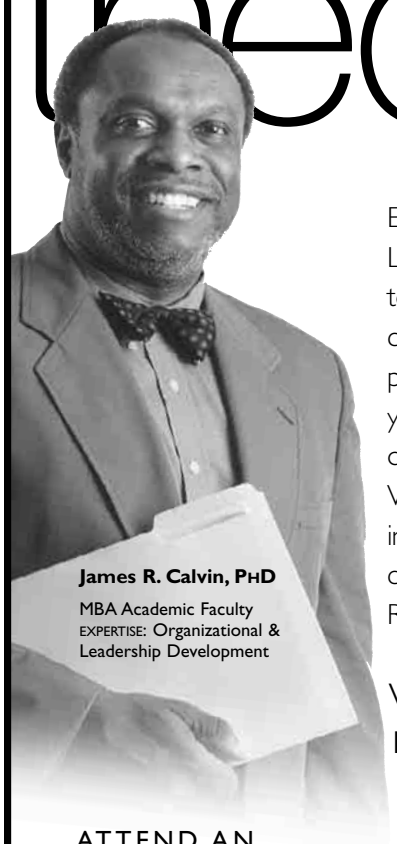

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Entertainment

THE MOUSE THAT WHIMPERED: When your company needs help, who needs strategy? Walt Disney Co. will disband its strategic planning division, the company stated Friday. That means a less aggressive mergers-and-acquisitions plan and a kinder, gentler mouse house.

No Fooling in Iowa

William Shatner and Spike TV pull a prank on flyover country

KIRK'D | William Shatner always stirs up strong feelings. Love him. Hate him. Love to hate him. Consider him a preening egotistical jerk who's nonetheless fascinating to watch — maybe more so after his reality miniseries "Invasion Iowa" premieres on Spike TV tonight and continues nightly through Friday.

Mixed feelings seem to be the point of this fascinating prank project in which Shatner pretends to film a low-budget sci-fi flick using local folks in Riverside, Iowa — the self-proclaimed "future historic" birthplace of his fictional "Star Trek" captain, James T. Kirk.

But Shatner's Hollywood crew is actually swooping into this sleepy farm town, population 928, to stage not a movie but a hoax. Led by the actor's famously enormous ego, his troupe of improv actors intends to behave abominably to see how local residents react.

Excitedly? Yes. Gullibly? Sometimes. Naively? In an intriguing sociological way. Obviously with open hearts. And, finally, with anger, when the locals discover it's all been a setup.

Iowans were quoted at the time as being appalled and offended. The Iowa City Press-Citizen editorialized, under the headline "Captain Jerk," that the project's "deceit shows a reckless disrespect for Iowa and Middle America in general. No doubt the Spike TV show ... will be about how easy it was to fool those hicks in small-town Iowa."

Though producers Rhett Reese and Paul Wernick insist they weren't out to make Iowans look like yokels — and a peek at the first two hours bears that out (mostly) — there's still the nagging impression that Riverside residents come off simple as compared to those in-on-the-joke showbiz sophisticates.

After all, Shatner's crew doesn't want the locals to be smart enough to call the show's bluff.

"We're hanging by our fingernails each day," Shatner is next seen confessing to the camera. "If they discover us, if they say, 'It's not right, it's not real, you're making fools of us and I'm gonna tell the town,' we're dead. What do we do?"

Those enmeshed levels of "reality," actuality improvising and, ultimately, human concern, are what make "Invasion Iowa" so compelling.

He thinks "the American public will laugh along with us and the people [of Riverside] who are watching Hollywood's foibles. We're not laughing at them. They're laughing at us." LYNN ELBER (AP)

COURTESY SPIKE TV

IS HE SERIOUS? Shatner in a discussion with the locals in "Invasion Iowa." The enigmatic star is the perfect meta figurehead.

A Hatful of Disdain

A man who'll sell anything draws the line at 'mood berets'

MERCH | William Shatner's official Web site hawks everything from books and DVDs to action figures and Star Trek: The Motion Picture Putty. Want a signed photograph? Only $45.

And yet, no Shats. These merchandise marvels, prominently featured in Spike TV's "Invasion Iowa" reality hoax series, premiereing Tuesday night, come in a pack of three berets: one green, one yellow, one red. In traffic-light fashion, they mirror the mood of the wearer, depending which one is worn: "I'm in a great mood, beam on over"; "I'm feeling space-lagged, proceed with caution"; "I'm in a bad mood with my finger on my laser. Stay away!"

At least that's what it says on the promotional pack sent to TV critics this month and sold in Riverside, Iowa, when the "Invasion Iowa" crew was shooting its "movie." On the fake-out show, Shatner asks a local shop to stock them, and soon many Riverside residents are sporting the berets. The product is a poke at Hollywood lunacy, lampooning celebrities who "force product lines upon an unsuspecting American public," said series producer Rhett Reese. "They're 'mood berets.'"

Yet Shatner is no fan of Shats. "I don't look good in a tam," he says on the show. "I got a round face anyway. Put your thumb in my mouth and you could bowl my head."

So where are the bowling balls?

DIANE WERTS (NEWSDAY)

AP

RED HEAD; GREEN HEAD: The star gives a raspberry to the "mood beret."

Today's Top Stops

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Not Nobody: John Doe

1 John Doe's tastes never changed that much. The co-founder of punk legends X and now a guy with a respectable country/blues/folk solo career, Doe has always cherished compelling narrative and vibrant realism.

Rams Head Tavern, 33 West St., Annapolis, Md.; 8 p.m., $17.50; 410-268-4545.

To Rock or Not to Rock? Ashlee Simpson

2 Jessica's little sister Ashlee Simpson has been vying for the spotlight for a long time, even bravely attempting to perform while struck down with acid reflux. Will she pop some Tums and suck it up, or fake her way into stardom? Tune in tonight.

Constitution Hall, 1776 D St. NW; 7 p.m., $34.25;800-551-7328.

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MARK LIDDELL

Ashlee's fans hope she isn't prone to conditions like exzema or pinkeye.

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

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OH, SNAP: The spangles have been flying at the Broadway revival of "La Cage aux Folles." Daniel Davis, who plays the role of Georges, has abruptly left the show and will be replaced by Robert Goulet. Reports online and in gossip columns hinted at friction between Davis and the cast.

Entertainment

White Boy's Return

Beck's back with 'Guero,' a mixed-up album from a solid guy

MUSIC | Heralded as the voice of a disenfranchised generation ever since the 1994 release of signature song "Loser," Beck just laughs when asked if he feels pressure to live up to such an impossible standard.

"I have no delusion that that is even expected of me or anyone cares," he said. "I don't have that big an opinion of myself. I would be a pretty sad spokesman."

INTERSCOPE

NO RAIN: Beck blends light and dark, scrambles genres and toys with noise.

Pundits may again trot out the term when referring to his new album, "Guero," due out today on Interscope.

The album, which melds rock, rap, atmospheric pop, folk and Latin rhythms, reunites Beck with the Dust Brothers, who produced his 1996 release "Odelay." Propelled by a sing-along chorus and funky beat (as well as a sample of the Beastie Boys' "So What'cha Want"), first single "E-Pro" is Beck's strongest radio start in years.

Now married and with a small son, Beck says making music remains sacred. "At home, there's so much going on all the time," he said. When recording, "the world disappears in a way that only happens in the studio where you're breathing the same oxygen for days on end. Sometimes to really get inside the music and it's flowing out of you, you have to bury yourself alive."

Such vivid imagery is present in "Guero." Upbeat melodies often tangle with downbeat lyrics, as on "Girl," a Beach Boys-reminiscent tune with dark lyrics.

"Guero," which loosely translates into "white boy," was a neighborhood name for Beck when he was growing up in primarily Hispanic East Los Angeles. One track, "Que Onda Guero," specifically refers to his past.

As a potential way to reach a new generation of fans, Fox TV series "The O.C." featured five Beck songs, including "E-Pro" and "Girl," on its March 10 episode.

"We heard the Beck album, and we didn't want to play just one song," said "O.C." executive producer Josh Schwartz.

MELINDA NEWMAN (BILLBOARD)

Today's TopStops

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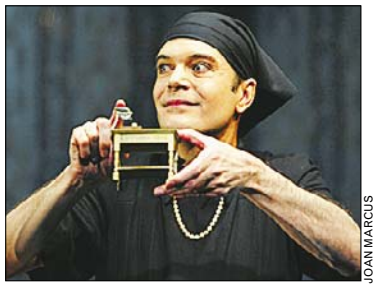
Life in Two Genders: 'I Am My Own Wife'

3 Jefferson Mays plays more than 40 characters in "I Am My Own Wife," a play that explores the will to live via the story of a German transvestite who survived the Nazi regime.

National Theatre, 513 13th St. NW; through April 10, 8 p.m., $35-$70; 800-447-7400. (Metro Center)



JOAN MARCUS

Jefferson Mays stars in the two-time Tony Award-winning one-man play.

'Flute' Talk: Opera Insights

4 Mozart's opera "The Magic Flute" comes under the spotlight when the Washiongton National Opera Insights series brings artists and opera experts together to discuss the work.

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KELLY BARNES/AP

BETTER TIMES: According to friends, Hester did not indicate he was depressed.

Crowded House Drummer Dies

Pop star Paul Hester is remembered by bandmates and fans

APPRECIATION | Paul Hester, the drummer from popular 1980s Australian rock band Crowded House, hanged himself in a park in southern Australia, an emergency services spokeswoman said Monday.

Hester, 46, had failed to return home after taking his two dogs for a walk on Friday night. The drummer's body was later found in a park near his home in the southern city of Melbourne.

Hester played in several small bands before joining the New Zealand group Split Enz in 1983. He and Split Enz singer Neil Finn formed Crowded House in 1985 with bass player Nick Seymour.

Crowded House was one of Australia's most successful bands in the late 1980s and early 1990s, with hits such as "Don't Dream it's Over" and "Weather With You."

Finn, currently touring in London, said he was deeply saddened: "I am devastated," he told a newspaper. "I have lost one of my best mates." (AP)

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Entertainment

LIFE WITH FATHER: When visiting Dad, most children of divorced parents see empty pizza boxes and old Sports Illustrateds. Rain Pryor saw cocaine, hookers and affluenza. The experience of being comedian Richard Pryor's daughter is now fodder for Rain's one-woman show, "Fried Chicken and Latkes."

Fifty Fingers, One Hit Album

The Five Browns are classical music's most visible pop stars

FRESH FACES | The Five Browns may be the closest classical music ever comes to a teen pop group.

A piano quintet of three sisters and two brothers, the fresh-faced Browns hope to appeal to young classical music enthusiasts with their self-titled recording debut.

But they're hardly playing bubble-gum music. After all, each of the siblings, who range in age from 19 to 25, have been classically trained at the venerable Juilliard School.

"The music is strictly classical, mind you, but we have one foot in the classical music world and another in real life," said Deondra. "We watch our fair share of MTV, we have different kinds of music in our CD cases."

JIM COOPER/AP

IN SYNC: Piano phenoms Melody, Gregory, Desirae, Deondra and Ryan Brown.

The album, which debuted at number one on Billboard's classical charts and remained there for four weeks, doesn't have them trying to put a classical spin on a pop song or collaborating with a pop act. It does, however, feature pop-friendly tracks such as elements of Leonard Bernstein's "West Side Story" and "Flight of the Bumble Bee."

The Browns — Desirae, 25; Deondra, 24; Gregory, 22; Melody, 20; and Ryan, 19 — are spending the next few months on tour, taking their group around the nation in hopes of cultivating an even wider fan base.

The Browns, who come across as typical college kids instead of prodigies, are used to being representatives for the genre. They first got national media attention a few years ago, when all five of them were enrolled in Juilliard — a formidable feat for one person to accomplish, let alone five from the same family.

Besides the music, five pianists performing at the same time certainly draws attention. But what could come off as a jarring gimmick works quite seamlessly.

"We've all been trained almost exactly the same since day one, so playing together comes pretty naturally for us," Desirae said.

Although the Browns may eventually strike out on their own, for the foreseeable future, they like being a part of a group just fine.

"We'd like to do it as long as possible," Gregory said. "Why not just go out and go to work every day with your best friends?"

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ICE PRINCESS (G) 12:30, 3:00, 5:30, 7:45, 10:00
THE RING TWO (PG13) 1:30, 2:15, 4:15, 5:00, 7:00, 7:45, 9:45
THE RING TWO (PG13) CC 2:15, 5:00, 7:45
ROBOTS (PG) 12:10, 2:30, 4:50, 7:30, 9:50
BE COOL (PG13) 2:00, 4:45, 7:30, 10:10
THE PACIFIER (PG) 12:20, 2:50, 5:20, 7:40, 10:15
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG13) 1:15, 4:20, 7:10, 9:50

ACADEMY 8
Beltway Plaza on Greenbelt Rd., Center Court
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MISS CONGENIALITY 2 (PG13) ✓ 1:20, 4:40, 7:20, 10:00
ICE PRINCESS (G) 12:40, 3:00, 5:20, 7:50, 10:10
THE RING TWO (PG13) 1:30, 4:30, 7:20, 10:10
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BE COOL (PG13) 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:40
THE PACIFIER (PG) 12:50, 3:10, 5:30, 8:00, 10:20
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG13) 1:10, 4:10, 7:10, 9:50

POTOMAC MILLS 18
2700 Potomac Mills Circle, Ste 886
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GUESS WHO (PG13) ✓ 1:15, 2:30, 4:20, 5:40, 7:00, 8:20, 9:45
MISS CONGENIALITY 2 (PG13) ✓ 1:10, 2:15, 3:45, 5:10, 6:15, 8:00, 9:15
ICE PRINCESS (G) 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 9:30
THE RING TWO (PG13) 1:20, 1:50, 2:40, 3:30, 4:10, 4:50, 5:35, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:30, 9:00, 9:50, 10:10
THE RING TWO (PG13) CC 2:40, 5:35, 8:30
HOSTAGE (R) 2:10, 4:45, 7:20, 10:00
ROBOTS (PG) 1:30, 2:20, 4:00, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
BE COOL (PG13) 2:10, 5:00, 7:50, 10:15
THE PACIFIER (PG) 1:45, 4:10, 6:45, 7:15, 9:10, 9:55
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG13) 1:40, 4:35, 7:10, 10:10
BECAUSE OF WINN-DIXIE (PG) 2:25, 5:25
CONSTANTINE (R) 8:15
HITCH (PG13) 1:30, 4:30, 7:10, 10:05
MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG13) 1:25, 4:25, 7:30, 10:15

MAZZA GALLERIE
Jenifer and Wisconsin
202-537-9553
GUESS WHO (PG13) 12:15, 12:45, 2:45, 3:15, 5:15, 5:45, 7:45, 8:15
MISS CONGENIALITY 2 (PG13) 12:00, 12:30, 2:30, 3:00, 5:00, 5:30, 7:30, 8:00, 10:00
ICE PRINCESS (G) 12:50, 3:10, 5:25, 7:50, 10:15
HOSTAGE (R) 1:30, 4:15, 7:00, 9:30
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG13) 10:00 PM
BECAUSE OF WINN-DIXIE (PG) 12:10, 2:40, 4:45
BECAUSE OF WINN-DIXIE (PG) CC 12:10, 2:40, 4:45
SIDEWAYS (R) 7:15

COURTHOUSE PLAZA 8
Courthouse and Birch Rd.
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MISS CONGENIALITY 2 (PG13) 4:30, 7:30, 10:00
THE RING TWO (PG13) 4:00, 5:00, 7:05, 7:40, 9:35, 10:05
HOSTAGE (R) 4:15, 7:15, 9:40
ROBOTS (PG) 4:45, 7:45, 9:55
THE PACIFIER (PG) 5:10, 7:20, 9:30
MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG13) 4:20, 7:00, 9:45
SIDEWAYS (R) 4:10, 7:10, 9:50

COUNTRY CLUB MALL 6
Country Club Mall on Vocke Rd near Route 68.
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GUESS WHO (PG13) ✓ 5:25, 7:55
THE RING TWO (PG13) 5:45, 7:45, 8:05
ROBOTS (PG) 5:25, 7:45
BE COOL (PG13) 5:10
THE PACIFIER (PG) 5:45, 8:05
HITCH (PG13) 5:10, 7:55

COLUMBIA MALL 14
10300 Patuxent Parkway
410-423-0520
GUESS WHO (PG13) ✓ 1:30, 2:15, 4:15, 5:00, 7:00, 7:45, 9:45, 10:30
GUESS WHO (PG13) CC ✓ 1:30, 4:15, 7:00, 9:45
MISS CONGENIALITY 2 (PG13) ✓ 1:45, 2:30, 4:30, 5:15, 7:15, 8:00, 10:00, 10:45
ICE PRINCESS (G) 1:50, 4:25, 7:05, 9:35
THE RING TWO (PG13) 1:15, 2:00, 4:00, 4:45, 5:30, 6:45, 7:30, 8:15, 9:30, 10:15
HOSTAGE (R) 12:45, 4:35, 7:35, 10:20
ROBOTS (PG) 12:30, 2:00, 3:00, 4:40, 7:10, 9:40
BE COOL (PG13) 12:20, 4:35, 7:25, 10:10
THE PACIFIER (PG) 12:10, 2:35, 4:55, 7:20, 9:50
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG13) 10:40 PM
HITCH (PG13) 12:50, 5:05, 7:50, 10:35
MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG13) 1:00, 4:10, 7:40

RIVERTOWNE 12
Exit 4A I-95, 1/2 mi. on Oxon Hill Rd.
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MISS CONGENIALITY 2 (PG13) 3:00, 5:30, 8:10
ICE PRINCESS (G) 2:50, 5:20, 7:50
THE RING TWO (PG13) 1:30, 2:30, 4:00, 5:00, 6:50, 7:40
HOSTAGE (R) 2:00, 4:30, 7:20
ROBOTS (PG) 2:30, 5:00, 7:30
BE COOL (PG13) 1:50, 4:10, 7:00
THE PACIFIER (PG) 3:00, 5:30, 7:50
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG13) 4:00, 6:50
CONSTANTINE (R) 1:30
HITCH (PG13) 2:10, 4:40, 7:20

SPRINGFIELD MALL 10
Loisdale and Franconia Road
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GUESS WHO (PG13) ✓ 2:15, 5:00, 8:30
MISS CONGENIALITY 2 (PG13) ✓ 1:45, 4:45, 8:10
ICE PRINCESS (G) 4:30, 7:30
THE RING TWO (PG13) 1:30, 4:30, 5:30, 7:45, 8:45
ROBOTS (PG) 2:00, 4:15, 6:30, 8:45
BE COOL (PG13) 5:00, 8:15
THE PACIFIER (PG) 4:40, 7:45
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG13) 8:00
HITCH (PG13) 5:10, 8:30
HITCH (PG13) CC 5:10, 8:30
MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG13) 4:50

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★ MISS CONGENIALITY 2: ARMED AND FABULOUS (PG–13) (1:40 4:40)7:40 10:40
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG–13) (ON 2 SCREENS) (12:05 2:10 3:00)6:05 8:10 9:00
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ROBOTS (PG) (11:30 2:00 4:35)7:00 9:30
HOSTAGE (R) (1:20 4:20)7:20 10:20
BE COOL (PG–13) (12:30 3:30)6:30 9:35
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HITCH (PG–13) (12:40 3:40)6:40 9:40

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HITCH (PG–13) (1:20 4:00)7:00 9:30
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North Bethesda 310-423-1014

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THE RING TWO (PG–13) (1:00 3:45)6:30 9:15
ROBOTS (PG) (12:35 2:50 5:10)7:30 9:50
THE PACIFIER (PG) (12:40 3:00 5:20)7:40 10:00

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★ MELINDA AND MELINDA (PG–13) (1:20 3:30 5:50)8:00 10:10
THE UPSIDE OF ANGER (R) (ON 2 SCREENS) (1:00 3:50 4:20) 6:20 7:00 9:00 9:20
DOWNFALL (R) (12:40 3:40)6:40 9:30
★ MILLIONS (PG) (12:30 3:00 5:20)7:50 10:00
SCHULTZE GETS THE BLUES (PG) (1:40)7:10
BRIDE & PREJUDICE (PG–13) (1:20)
SIDEWAYS (R) (4:00)9:40

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BE COOL (PG–13) (1:10 4:00)7:20 10:10
THE PACIFIER (PG) (11:50 2:10 4:40)6:50 9:00
HITCH (PG–13) (11:00 1:40 4:10)7:00 9:40
MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG–13) (12:40 3:30)6:30 9:20

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★ MISS CONGENIALITY 2: ARMED AND FABULOUS (PG–13) (11:00 2:30 5:00)7:30 9:50
THE RING TWO (PG–13) (12:15 2:45 5:15)7:45 10:00
ICE PRINCESS (G) (1:30 4:30)7:15 9:30
ROBOTS (PG) (2:00 4:15)6:45 9:00
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MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG–13) (1:00)7:00

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OFF THE MAP (NR) (4:20)7:00 9:40
SCHULTZE GETS THE BLUES (PG) (1:20)
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HOTEL RWANDA (PG–13) (4:30)10:00

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DOWNFALL (R) (12:50 3:50)6:50 10:10
MILLIONS (PG) (1:10 3:30)6:10 8:50
THE RING TWO (PG–13) (ON 2 SCREENS) 6:40 9:20
Rear Window Captioning (11:50 2:40 5:20)8:00 10:40
ROBOTS (PG) (1:30 4:00)6:20 8:40
HOSTAGE (R) 10:00 P.M.
BE COOL (PG–13) (11:30 2:10 4:50)7:40 10:20
HITCH (PG–13) (11:40 2:20 5:10)7:50 10:30
MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG–13) (12:30 3:20)6:30 9:30
SIDEWAYS (R) (1:00 3:40)

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ROBOTS (PG) (100 405) 715 1010
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ICE PRINCESS (G) DIG (Stadium) (1140 220 440) 705 935
THE RING 2 (PG-13) DIG (Stadium) (1130 200 430) 720 1000
HOSTAGE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (Stadium) (1150 230 510) 755 1030
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ROBOTS (PG) DIG (1200 1230 230 300 500 530) 800 1030
DIARY OF A MAD BLACK WOMAN (PG-13) DIG (125 425) 715 1005
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THE PACIFIER (PG) DIG (1220 250 520) 750 1025
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ICE PRINCESS (G) (1120 1145 1220 200 230 300 430 530) 720 820 945
THE RING 2 (PG-13) (1135 210 500) 750 1040
HOSTAGE (R) - ID REQ'D (1140 220 510) 800 1035
ROBOTS (PG) (1150 1230 140 240 310 400 520) 645 810 900
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MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG-13) (1210 320) 640 950

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THE RING 2 (PG-13) (100 130 200 400 430 510) 700 730 800 940 1010 1040
MILLION DOLLAR BABY (PG-13) (115 415) 705 950
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MISS CONGENIALITY 2 (PG-13) DIG (Stadium) (1245 130 345 430) 645 730 940 1030
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THE RING 2 (PG-13) DIG (Stadium) (100 410) 700 945
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BRIDE & PREJUDICE (PG-13) (115 400) 715 1000
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ROBOTS (PG) (1230 130 315 415) 715 950
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THE PACIFIER (PG) (200 445) 800 1015
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HITCH (PG-13) (100 345) 645 940
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THE RING 2 (PG-13) (1255 400) 655 940
HOSTAGE (R) - ID REQ'D (1235 325) 720 955
ROBOTS (PG) (1105 1150 135 220 355 450) 615 730 1000
BE COOL (PG-13) (1225 330) 700 945
THE PACIFIER (PG) (1115 145 425) 650 735 920 1005
CONSTANTINE (R) - ID REQ'D 900
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Television

CAN'T SAY GOODBYE: Retirement doesn't suit Dan Rather. He cut short his hiatus between leaving the "CBS Evening News" and joining the anchor lineup of "60 Minutes Wednesday." Three days after his final sign-off, he was interviewing a subject for tomorrow's show.

Waves of Tragedy

PBS airs accounts of two disastrous geologic phenomena

DOCUMENTARIES | The science behind two Indian Ocean tsunamis, one that struck in 1883 and one recent, is detailed in two documentaries on PBS' "Nova."

"Wave that Shook the World" (8 p.m.) examines December's tsunami caused by the undersea slippage of the Earth's crust along a 700-mile-long fault off the Sumatran coast.

The hourlong program is followed by the 90-minute "Krakatoa" (9 p.m.). An estimated 36,000 people died when the eruption of the Krakatoa volcano triggered a massive tsunami.

AP

A boat washes up on a building in a vivid example of the tsunami's strength.

Technology made the world aware of the modern disaster and provided startling pictures. "Wave" includes eyewitness accounts, video footage and analysis of the waves that spread for 3,000 miles around the ocean basin.

Animation demonstrates how the quake lifted the sea floor and the water resting on it, causing a series of waves that radiated out from the epicenter — at speeds nearing that of a passenger jet.

Re-creations and computer animation recount the 19th-century disaster, which flung debris around the world and caused vibrant sunsets for years.

LYNN ELBER (AP)

ON TV TONIGHT

BYE, ANTHONY!
AMERICAN IDOL (8 p.m., Fox) Ten to go.

THAT'S JUST CARELESS
GILMORE GIRLS (8 p.m., WB) Lorelai's act of compassion is mistaken for a night of passion.

A WORLD OF PAIN
THE AMAZING RACE (9 p.m., CBS) Longitudes and attitudes.

HE HAS A HEART AFTER ALL
HOUSE (9 p.m., Fox) A 10-year-old's coronary rattles the cranky doctor.

GEEZ, WHAT A SAD NIGHT OF TV
LAW & ORDER: SPECIAL VICTIMS UNIT (10 p.m., NBC) A teen needs protection from her mother.

SEE 'SAD NIGHT,' ABOVE
BLIND JUSTICE (10 p.m., ABC) Dunbar's old partner takes a bullet.

WARNER BROS. PICTURES

Moore's hometown of Flint, Mich., was devastated when the GM plant closed.

CULT CHOICE
ROGER & ME (8 p.m., True) Director Michael Moore tries to interview the General Motors executive who shut down the GM plant in Flint, Mich., in this 1989 documentary. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

3.29.05		6:00 PM	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
LOCAL CHANNELS	WRC 4	News CC		NBC Nightly News	Access Hollywood	Will & Grace	Scrubs CC	Scrubs (N) CC	The Office (N)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)		News CC	Tonight Show
	WTTG 5	The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Friends CC	Seinfeld CC	American Idol (S Live) CC		House "Heavy" (N) (PA) CC		News		A Current Affair	Seinfeld CC
	WJLA 7	News CC	ABC Wld News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	My Wife and Kids	George Lopez (N)	According to Jim	Rodney "We Day"	Blind Justice "Up on the Roof" (N)		News CC	(:35) Nightline
	WUSA 9	News CC	CBS News	USA Tonight	Ent. Tonight	NCIS "Bikini Wax" (N) CC		The Amazing Race 7 "I've Been Wanting a Face-lift for a Long Time" (N)				News CC	Late Show
	WDCA 20	That '70s Show	That '70s Show	Girlfriends CC	Girlfriends CC	All of Us (N)	Eve (N) CC	Veronica Mars "Betty and Veronica"		King of the Hill	King of the Hill	Every-Raymond	Dharma & Greg
	WMPT 22	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Business Rpt.	Outdoors Md.	Nova (N) CC (DVS)		Krakatoa (N) CC			Waves		BBC World News
	WETA 26	BBC World News	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Nova (N) CC (DVS)		Krakatoa (N) CC			Independent Lens "Let the Church Say Amen" (N) CC		
	WHUT 32	Business Schl	Primary Focus TV	BBC World News	MoneyWise CC	American Experience CC		History Detectives CC		BBC World News	Tavis Smiley	Charlie Rose (N) CC	
	WBDC 50	The Parkers	Steve Harvey	The Parkers	Steve Harvey	Gilmore Girls CC		The Starlet (N) CC		Will & Grace	Just Shoot Me	Will & Grace	Blind Date (N)
BASIC CABLE	A&E	City Confidential CC		American Justice "Vanished" CC		Cold Case Files CC		Bounty Hunter	Bounty Hunter	Growing Up Gotti	Growing Up Gotti	Crossing Jordan "Strangled" CC	
	Animal	The Crocodile Hunter CC		The Most Extreme "Super Senses"		Austin Stevens: Snakemaster CC		Animal X "Bigfoot" Bigfoot in Texas.		Animal Cops Houston (N)		Austin Stevens: Snakemaster CC	
	BET	106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live			BET Style	The Parkers	Girlfriends CC	Soul Food CC		Rip the Runway		BET Nightly News	BET Style
	Bravo	Queer Eye for the Straight Guy CC		The West Wing "In Excelsis Deo"		Project Greenlight (N) CC		Queer Eye for the Straight Guy CC		Queer Eye for the Straight Guy (N)		Project Greenlight CC	
	Comedy	Trigger Happy TV	Crank Yankers	Daily Show	Mad TV CC		Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents	South Park CC	Chappelle's Show	Distraction (N)	Daily Show	Daily Show
	Court	NYPD Blue CC		Cops CC	Cops CC	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Masterminds	Masterminds	Impossible Heists (N)	
	Discovery	Biker Build-Off Zero Engineering.		Biker Build-Off Jerry Covington. CC		Biker Build-Off		Biker Build-Off		Biker Build-Off (N)		Biker Build-Off	
	DISCH	Paramedics "Straight Shooters"		Trauma: Life in the ER CC		Raising a Six Pack CC		Babies: Special Delivery		Make Room for Baby "Surf's Up"		Raising a Six Pack CC	
	Disney	Lizzie McGuire	Sister, Sister	That's So Raven	That's So Raven	★★ "Double Teamed" (2002, Drama) Annie McElwain, Poppi Monroe. CC				Sister, Sister	Even Stevens	That's So Raven	That's So Raven
	E!	Gastineau Girls	Gastineau Girls	E! News (N)	My Crazy Life	E! Hollywood Hold 'Em		The Michael Jackson Trial (N)		Gastineau Girls	Love Is in the Heir	Howard Stern	Howard Stern
	FX	Fear Factor Miss USA contestants.		King of the Hill	King of the Hill	★★★ "Changing Lanes" (2002) Ben Affleck, Samuel L. Jackson. Premiere.				The Shield "Bang" (N) CC		The Shield "Bang" CC	
	HGTV	Wknd Warriors	Landscapers	Curb Appeal	House Hunters	Designed to Sell	Get Color	Decorating Cents	Mission: Orgnz	Designers'	Designers'	Design on a Dime	Painted House
	Family	7th Heaven "It Happened One Night"		Smallville "Fever" CC		★ "Problem Child" (1990, Comedy) John Ritter, Michael Oliver.				Whose Line?	Whose Line?	The 700 Club CC	
	History	Barbarians "Huns" Huns. CC		Conquest of America CC		Conquest of America CC		Conquest of America "Northeast; Northwest" (N) CC				Breaking Vegas "The Ultimate Cheat"	
	Lifetime	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	★★ "Nowhere to Land" (2000, Suspense) Jack Wagner, Ernie Hudson. CC				"Air Speed" (1998, Suspense) Joe Mantegna, Elisha Cuthbert. Premiere. CC				The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls
	MTV	Smith: Found	PoweR Girls	Direct Effect		Trippin'	Ashlee-Show	Ashlee-Show	MTV News Now	Famous Face	MTV Cribs (N)	Trippin'	Nick & Jessica
	NICK	Hey Arnold! CC	Rugrats CC	Jimmy Neutron	Fairly Oddparents	SpongeBob	Ned's School	Full House CC	Fatherhood CC	Fresh Prince	The Cosby Show	Roseanne CC	Murphy Brown
	SCIFI	Stargate SG-1 Danger in Antarctica.		"20,000 Leagues Under the Sea" (1997) Richard Crenna, Paul Gross. CC				★★★★ "Raiders of the Lost Ark" (1981, Adventure) Harrison Ford, Karen Allen. CC					(:36) Pitch Black
	SPIKE	World's Wildest Police Videos CC		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation CC		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation CC		Invasion Iowa (N)		World's Most Amazing Videos CC		Invasion Iowa	
	TBS	Seinfeld CC	Seinfeld CC	Every-Raymond	Every-Raymond	Friends CC	Friends CC	Sex and the City	Sex and the City	(:10) ★★ "Cocktail" (1988) (PA) Tom Cruise, Bryan Brown. CC (DVS)			
	TLC	Clean Sweep CC		In a Fix CC		Mega Machines "Technology Titans"		Overhaulin' A 1968 Oldsmobile.		Rides "XLR" Cadillac XLR makeover.		Mega Machines "Technology Titans"	
	TNT	Charmed "It's a Bad, Bad World"		Law & Order "Castoff" CC (DVS)		Law & Order "Teenage Wasteland"		Law & Order "Evil Breeds"		Charmed "Charmageddon" CC		Law & Order "Precious"	
	USA	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit		★★ "The Mummy Returns" (2001) Brendan Fraser. Imhotep's minions kidnap the O'Connells' precocious son. CC						Nashville Star (Live) CC		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	
	VHI	Strange Love	Strange Love	Strange Love	Strange Love	Strange Love	Strange Love	Strange Love	Strange Love	Driven "Flavor Flav" Flavor Flav.		Love Lounge (N)	Older Babes
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SPORTS	ESPN	SportsCenter (Live) CC		Women's College Basketball: NCAA Regional Final -- Teams TBA				Women's College Basketball: NCAA Regional Final -- Teams TBA				SportsCenter (Live) CC	
	ESPN2	Poker 2004 U.S. Championship. CC		College Basketball NIT Tournament Semifinal -- Teams TBA. (Live) CC				College Basketball NIT Tournament Semifinal -- Teams TBA. (Live) CC					NCAA Special
	CSN	The Sports List	SportsNite CC	AFL Weekly	On Campus	Maryland	Cavalier Sports	March Madness: Road to No. 1 (N)		SportsNite (Live) CC		Pro View	Best-Sports
NEWS	CNN	Lou Dobbs Tonight CC		Anderson Cooper 360 CC		Paula Zahn Now CC		Larry King Live CC		NewsNight With Aaron Brown CC		Lou Dobbs Tonight	
	FNC	Special Report (Live) CC		The Fox Report With Shepard Smith		The O'Reilly Factor (Live) CC		Hannity & Colmes (Live) CC		On the Record-Van Susteren		The O'Reilly Factor	
	MSNBC	The Abrams Report		Hardball CC		Countdown With Keith Olbermann		The Abrams Report		Scarborough Country		Hardball CC	
MOVIES	AMC	(5:00) ★★★ "Battle of the Bulge" (1965, Adventure) Henry Fonda. 'NR'				★★ "Missing in Action 2: The Beginning" (1985) Chuck Norris. 'R'				★★ "Hamburger Hill" (1987, Drama) Anthony Barrile, Don Cheadle. 'R'			
	TCM	★★★ "The Farmer's Daughter" (1947, Comedy) Loretta Young. 'NR' CC				★★★ "Death Takes a Holiday" (1934) Fredric March.			★★★ "Anne of the Thousand Days" (1969, Drama) Richard Burton, Geneviève Bujold. 'PG' CC				
	HBO	(5:30) ★★★ "The Company" (2003) Neve Campbell. CC			★★ "The Big Bounce" (2004) Owen Wilson. 'PG-13' CC			Deadwood "Requiem for a Gleet"		Atlantic City Hookers		Carnivale "New Canaan, CA" CC	
	MAX	(5:05) ★★ "Jennifer Eight" (1992) 'R'		(:15) ★★★ "The Last Samurai" (2003) Tom Cruise. A Westerner learns the ways of the samurai in the 1870s. 'R'						★★★ "The Rundown" (2003) The Rock. 'PG-13' CC			Married People
	SHOW	★★ "How to Lose a Guy in 10 Days" (2003) Kate Hudson. 'PG-13' CC				★★ "Jeepers Creepers 2" (2003) Ray Wise. 'R' CC			(:45) ★★ "City of Ghosts" (2002, Crime Drama) Matt Dillon. iTV. 'R' CC				Jackass: Movie
	TMC	(:15) ★★ "Life With Mikey" (1993, Comedy) Michael J. Fox. 'PG' CC				★★ "Greedy" (1994, Comedy) Michael J. Fox, Kirk Douglas. 'PG-13' CC				★★ "Just a Kiss" (2002) Ron Eldard. 'R' CC			Party Monster 'R'
	STARZ!	(5:30) ★★ "Hackers" (1995) Jonny Lee Miller. 'PG-13'			(:20) ★★ "Laws of Attraction" (2004) Pierce Brosnan.			★ "A Man Apart" (2003, Action) Vin Diesel, Larenz Tate. 'R' CC				★★ "XX/XY" (2002) Mark Ruffalo.	
	ENCORE	(4:35) Mr. Destiny	★ "Top Dog" (1995) Chuck Norris. 'PG-13' CC			★★★ "Michael" (1996, Fantasy) John Travolta, William Hurt. 'PG' CC				★★★ "The Nutty Professor" (1996) Eddie Murphy. CC			Happy Gilmore

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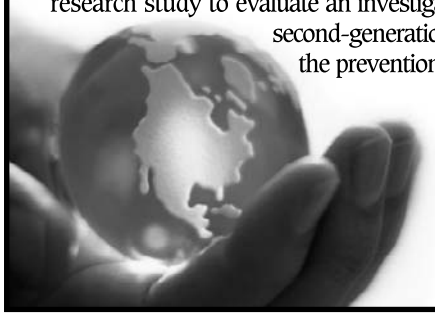

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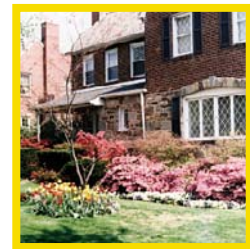

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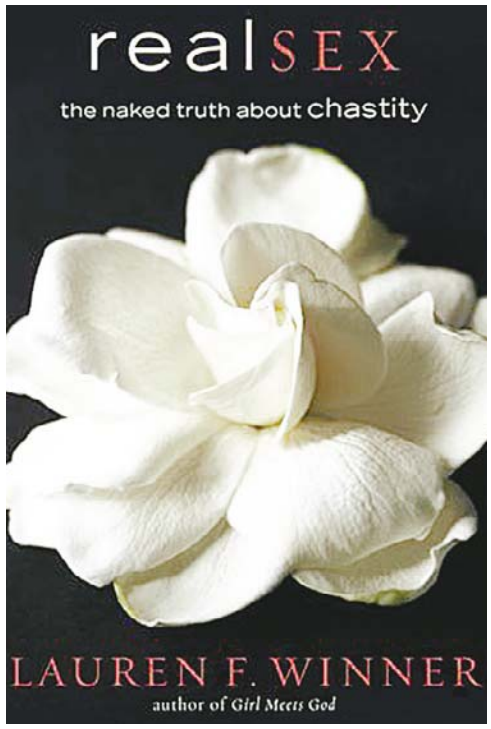
There's power in deciding "I am more than a sex object designed for your passing entertainment."

—LAUREN WINNER, AUTHOR OF "REAL SEX: THE NAKED TRUTH ABOUT CHASTITY"



Religion

Charlottesville author defends putting off sex until marriage

Chasing Chastity

It's unfashionable and risks ridicule, and it's tough to maintain in the face of powerful cultural pressures.

But chastity remains a vital virtue, argues Lauren F. Winner in "Real Sex: The Naked Truth About Chastity" (Brazos Press).

Winner, who lives with her husband in Charlottesville, Va., acknowledges that she has had premarital sex. But she gradually changed her mind after the Christian conversion depicted in her 2002 memoir, "Girl Meets God."

Chastity involves everything from faithfulness in marriage to avoidance of pornography, but Winner's focus is premarital sex. (Chastity isn't the same as celibacy, abstention from sex as part of religious vocations and vows.)

Despite liberal Christians' attempts to define it away, Winner said limiting sex to marriage is an essential aspect of biblical teaching (but doesn't explore the same-sex marriage dispute).

Dating do's and don'ts to maintain chastity are difficult to define. Lauren and her husband, Griff, followed a rule suggested by a university chaplain in Charlottesville: Do in private only what you're comfortable doing in public settings.

Winner said the culture spreads "four powerful lies" that accompanied the past half-century's moral individualism and promiscuity:

➜ **Sex can be wholly separated from procreation:** Yes, reliable birth control means we can usually disconnect sex from child-making but this is only narrowly, "technologically" true, she said. Morally and religiously, sex has three purposes, to unite the couple in love, to produce children and to mirror "the radical fidelity and intimacy" between God and the church.

➜ **How you dress doesn't matter:** Winner insists she's no prude, but the commercial marketplace promotes "a culture of immodesty" that Christians must counteract. She said modest attire remains an option in stores that cater to the rich, while lower-price stores promote sexually enticing garb, even for young girls.

"Our clothes tell stories" about ourselves, she said. There's power in deciding "I am more than a sex object designed for your passing entertainment."

➜ **Good sex can't happen in the humdrum routine of marriage:** Consumer culture emphasizes novel experiences and makes sex little more than diversion or adventure, Winner said. That undercuts the attractiveness of stable marital relationships free of the thrill of danger. But don't be misled by romantic fiction, Winner counseled. "Ordinary" sex is meaningful — and fun.

➜ **You shouldn't marry for sex:** Promotion of sex before marriage merges with pressures to delay marrying to fulfill career goals or make supposedly mature decisions about a mate. Winner thinks that's usually a mistake and favors early marriage.

Christian churches sometimes convey their own "lies," she added. Among them: Sinful sex always makes you feel bad. Women lack libidos. Bodily needs are unimportant. RICHARD N. OSTLING (AP)

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Michael Wilbon | The Final Four

Washington Post sports columnist **MICHAEL WILBON** was online Monday to discuss picks for the NCAA Final Four | **washingtonpost.com/liveonline**

I have Michigan State taking it all. Will it happen?

Good for you for thinking to advance Michigan State all the way to the Final Four in your bracket. You were a lot smarter than I was.

Do I think Michigan State will beat North Carolina Saturday in St. Louis? No, I don't. While I messed up and had Syracuse and Georgia Tech in my Final Four bracket, I do have Illinois and Carolina meeting in the final game. Michigan State is really good, really smart, really tough, and really well-coached. But so is North Carolina, which I think is a little more talented.

Do you think Louisville can match Illinois' mental toughness?

Were you out of the country Saturday? Are you not aware Louisville came back from 20 points down to beat West Virginia?

This game has nothing to do with all the cliches people want to subscribe to. These are two very evenly matched teams, both featuring three-guard set ups (Francisco Garcia, Taquan Dean and Larry O'Bannon for Louisville; and Dee Brown, Deron Williams and Luther Head for Illinois) and big guys who know exactly what their roles are. It's a pick-'em game, as far as I'm concerned. I don't see how either team could be called a big "favorite" in this game.

Why isn't there a consolation game for the semi-finalist losers during the Final Four?

The committee doesn't want anybody to go home with consecutive losses and a really bad feeling.

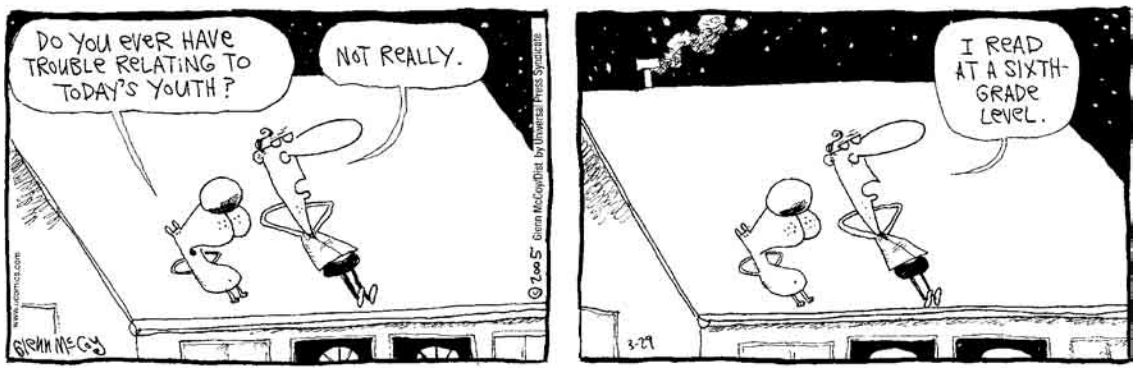
What are your Final Four picks?

Well, I'm taking Carolina over Michigan State and Illinois over Louisville. Do I have to pick a winner for Monday night? Well, I guess I believe Carolina will win. I don't know. Hell, these teams are so close. I guess I'll say Carolina will beat Illinois, but that's a pick-'em game, too.

➜ Today on Live Online

1 P.M.: Washington Post staff writer Dave Sheinin discusses baseball and the latest news about the Washington Nationals.

The Duplex | *Glenn McCoy*



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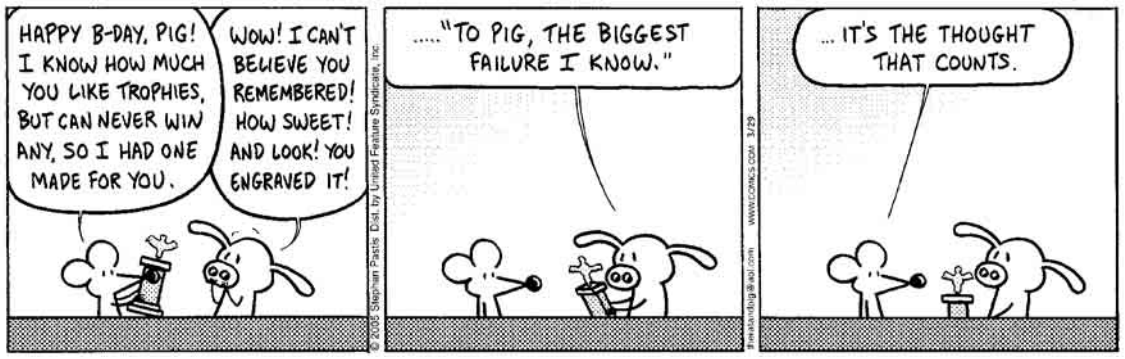

Letters

Line Managers a Good Idea

IT'S GREAT TO HEAR that each Metrorail line is getting a dedicated manager of its own, as reported in Express earlier this month (March 17). Each of these new managers should be required to ride the Metro often in order to obtain firsthand information about station conditions, and to be proactive in identifying problems or improvements that would enhance rider satisfaction. Also, Metro staff should be required to complete a short confidential questionnaire about quality and satisfaction on Metrorail lines that should be given directly to the new line managers. Metro's service is good, but the more that Metro staff can take a personal interest in the ridership issues, the better the service will become.

—JOHN BREWER
Gaithersburg, Md.

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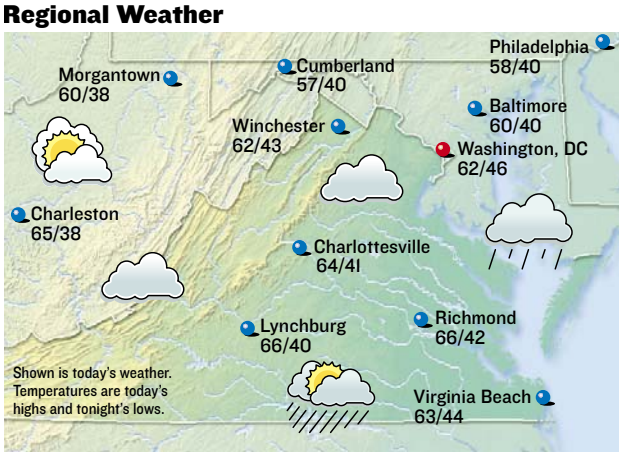
5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area

Today	Tonight	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
A bit of morning rain; clearing	Clear	Sunny to partly cloudy and pleasant	Mostly sunny; warm	An afternoon thunderstorm in spots	Mostly cloudy with rain possible
62°	46°	68° / 50°	72° / 52°	68° / 48°	58° / 40°

Regional Weather



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Almanac

Washington, D.C., through 4 p.m. Mon.

Temperature

High	52°
Low	43°
Normal high	60°
Normal low	41°
Average humidity	93%

Precipitation

24 hours ending 4 p.m.	1.15"
Month to date	4.00"
Normal month to date	3.28"
Year to date	8.94"
Last year to date	5.66"
Normal year to date	9.12"

For up-to-the-minute weather, see: **washingtonpost.com/weather**

Regional Forecast

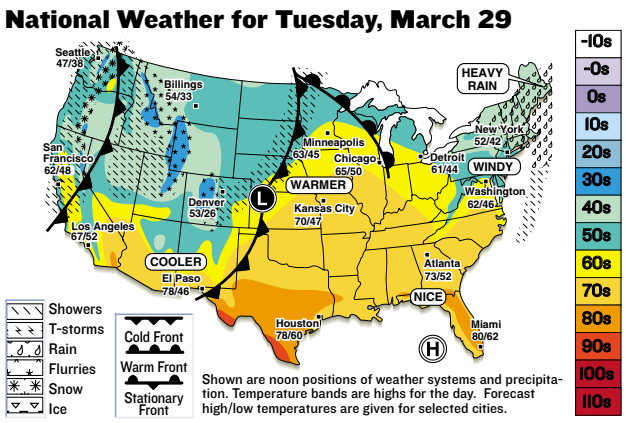
D.C. Metro: Today, cloudy, rain early, then becoming partly sunny in the afternoon, milder. High 62. Wind north-northwest 12-22 mph.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today	5:58 a.m.
Sunset tonight	6:29 p.m.
Moonrise today	11:01 p.m.
Moonset today	7:49 a.m.

Last	New	First	Full
Apr 1	Apr 8	Apr 16	Apr 24

National Weather for Tuesday, March 29



Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day. Forecast high/low temperatures are given for selected cities.

National Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Wed. Hi/Lo/W
Atlanta	73/52/s	80/56/s
Boston	48/37/sh	52/40/pc
Chicago	65/50/s	65/38/t
Dallas	78/54/pc	82/54/pc
Denver	53/26/sh	45/22/sh
Honolulu	84/72/s	84/72/s
Los Angeles	67/52/s	74/54/s
Miami	80/62/s	82/66/s
New York City	52/42/r	58/46/pc
Orlando	80/55/s	82/62/s
Seattle	47/38/sh	52/42/sh

World Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Wed. Hi/Lo/W
Amsterdam	54/45/sh	50/41/r
Athens	68/54/pc	64/52/r
Berlin	48/39/sh	46/32/s
Buenos Aires	75/58/sh	72/54/s
Calgary	46/24/pc	39/19/pc
Dublin	50/45/sh	50/45/c
Geneva	57/45/sh	49/39/sh
Moscow	23/14/pc	23/12/pc
Rome	63/52/c	63/50/r
Sydney	71/49/pc	69/50/pc
Tokyo	59/37/s	48/37/s

s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

LOOK out

People

SHIZUO KAMBAYASHI/AP

Richard bravely appears with his own hair in front of a much-blonder poster.

OPINIONS

J. Lo Also Agrees With Japan 'Totally'

Reporters at a Tokyo junket for "Shall We Dance?" got an earful of political rhetoric, **RICHARD GERE**-style on Monday, Reuters reported. Rather than expound on co-star Jennifer Lopez, Gere condemned a plan to lift an arms embargo against China. "I so agree with your prime minister that the European Union should not remove the ban against selling arms to China" he said. "I agree with him totally." (EXPRESS)

FIGMENTS

Celine Dion Naught But a Fever Dream Of Crazed Publicist

ETHAN MILLER/REUTERS

The persistence of the Celine simulacrum is a mystery to philosophers.

CELINE DION reminds fans that she's a wife, mother — and confident woman — with her new perfume, Belong. "The new fragrance reflects where Celine is right now in her life — enjoying her family when she is out of the spotlight," Coty Beauty Americas president Eric Thoreux said in a statement. Dion was involved in every aspect of the development of Belong, including the design of the bottle, a pentagon shape that represents her lucky number five. "This fragrance is about celebrating life," Dion said. "It's the way I like to feel about myself." (AP)

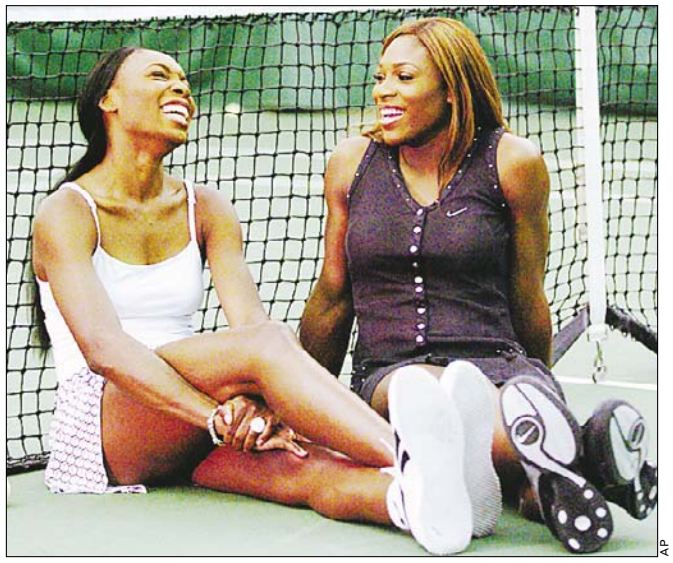
AP

The horror, the horror — the "Mosquito Coast" look just doesn't suit Cameron.

CONSERVATION

Cameron, the Anacostia River Is Holding on Line One

CAMERON DIAZ was attacked by cicadas in the rain forest and landed face first while sand-boarding in the desert during filming of her new MTV series, "Trippin'" — but you won't hear her complain. "Physical discomfort for me is all about building your constitution, so I invite it in," Diaz told reporters. "Trippin'," which premiered Monday night, follows Diaz and celebrity pals as they visit environmentally sensitive spots around the world and seek to discover ways to preserve them. (AP)



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The 'Watch Us Be Perfect' Show

SERENA and **VENUS WILLIAMS** will be starring in their version of a tennis reality show. The sisters' off-court lives — their family, friends and the glamour of big-time tennis — will be featured in a six-episode, as-yet-untitled show set to premiere on ABC Family in July. "The series will provide our fans with an up-close, inside look at our lives," Venus said. (AP)

ARCHAEOLOGY

Love in the Mesozoic Era

An estate-liquidation consultant who was looking for things **RONALD** and **NANCY REAGAN** left behind at a Pacific Palisades home they lived in 50 years ago uncovered a slab of concrete carved with the initials ND (for Nancy Davis) and RR. He gave it to the Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation. "Mrs. Reagan remembers well the day her husband drew a heart with their initials inside in the concrete patio of their home," said a representative. (AP)

DENNIS COOK/AP

The Reagans soon abandoned the tradition of concrete Valentines.

SECRETS

OMG, If This Gets Out He'll Be Fired for Sure!

VING RHAMES may have picked up a lollipop and stepped into Telly Savalas' shoes for a new version of "Kojak," but he wasn't a fan of the TV show as a child. "'Kojak' wasn't on in my house. I grew up in Harlem one block away from the Apollo Theater, where a version of Kojak's show was happening every day in the neighborhood. There were thugs and criminals and detectives running around. Why would I want to watch a show about that?" he told the Boston Sunday Globe. "I think I've seen one rerun." "Kojak" begins its regular weekly rotation on USA April 3. (AP)

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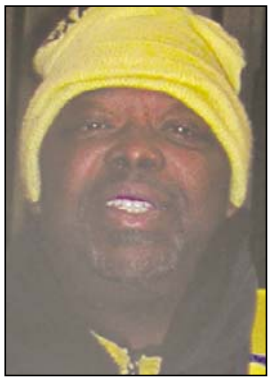

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1973

On March 29, the last U.S. combat troops left South Vietnam, ending America's direct military involvement in the Vietnam War; also, in 1962, Jack Paar hosted NBC's "Tonight" show for the final time.

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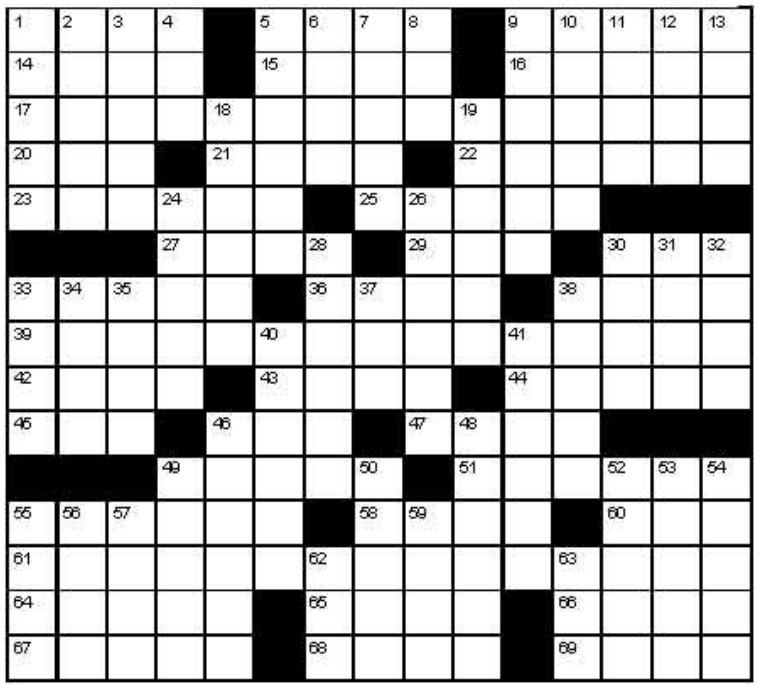

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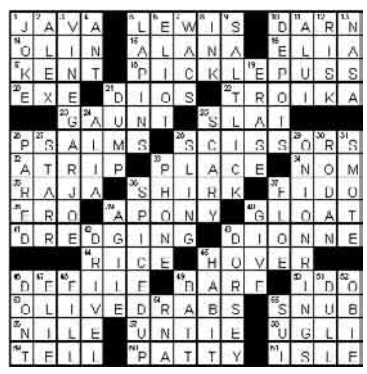

Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You may not be able to pursue goals with undivided attention, but if you set the wheels in motion much can transpire automatically.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Be sure to take advantage of opportunities to mix with others — professionally and socially.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You'll be more in touch than usual with the more subtle, even mysterious influences that push you ever so gently in various directions.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You may have to put things off in favor of more pressing matters, but you can be sure there will be time to get back to them later.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) It won't be hard to outsmart your adversaries. What will prove more difficult is winning them over to your side — but it can be done.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Tensions on the home front are the result of financial complications you've not been addressing with maximum attention.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) You may be unusually prone to irritation and annoyance. Don't let your temper get the better of you. Avoid lashing out at friends, supporters.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) Endeavors will allow your personality to shine. You can win the respect and support of those who can do much for you in the days to come.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) You're in line for a promotion of sorts that comes your way before this day is out. Be ready to take on more responsibility.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Spontaneous decisions can prove more than valuable. Follow your instincts and you'll have much to remember fondly.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) It's important that you live up to your responsibilities and that you keep your word — no matter whom you may have given it to.

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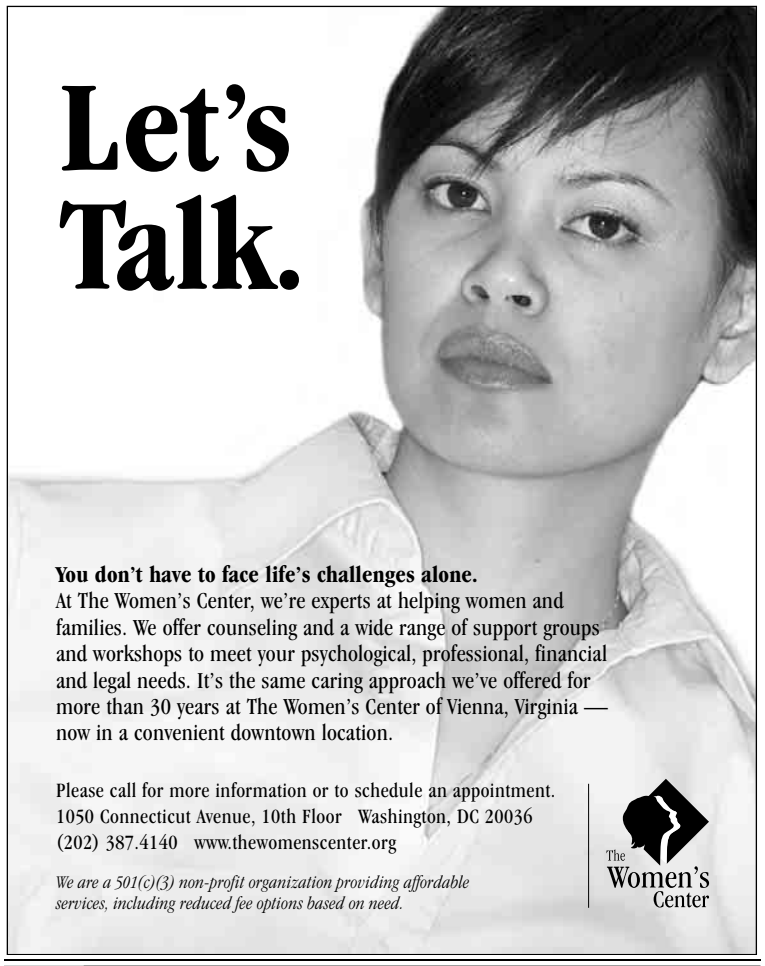

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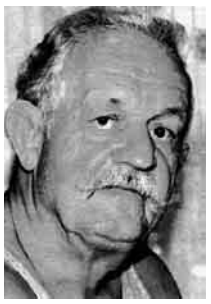

THIS YEAR I GIVE THANKS FOR MY LIFE!

R. Donald Tomasik

I wanted to write and let you know that I am eternally grateful to you for saving my life! I saw an ad for mobile ultra-sound tests for a year before actually signing up to be tested. I just had a feeling that something wasn't right; my wife kept urging me to spend the $179 and get checked for nothing else but the peace of mind.

Boy, am I glad I did, it was found that I had a 5 1/2 centimeter aortic aneurysm. I was able to take my test results to my primary care physician and be referred to a specialist, Doctor Showalter, who's first question was 'how do you know you have an aneurysm?' I showed him my Healthfair test results and he smiled and said, 'those Healthfair screenings probably saved your life!'

That was in February 2003 and after a successful surgery, I'm happy to say I'm in good health in 2004 and indebted to Healthfair USA for saving my life! Unfortunately our friend Connie in Vermont didn't have an opportunity to have these inexpensive tests and died of a ruptured aneurysm. We miss her and hope to see Healthfair mobile units all over the country someday. It really is necessary to have these tests since Medicare won't pay for preventative screenings and I couldn't afford to pay the hospital price! Thanks from both Marge and I for your 7 test package, it was truly an investment in my health!

THE RISING COST OF HEALTH CARE

I am a physician here in Charleston, SC; a very skeptical one at that. I have been seeing your ads in the newspaper of your cardiac and vascular screenings, and have to say I was the first to shout "scam artist". I started getting patients showing me this ad and asking my opinion. Instead of answering them with my first thought, I decided to check into your organization myself and do some research. With the cost of healthcare these days I was very concerned of the legitimacy of your organization. The first thing I decided to do was make an appointment for myself and see it from the inside. I also needed the help of others to compose an even stronger report of findings. I then gathered 11 other family members and colleagues to do your studies. I scheduled various appointments for all of us throughout the month of June. I gave everyone an appointment time and asked them to report back to me of their experience and results. So for 12 of us it was off to the testing sites inside of a bus in various parking lots.

My findings were very impressive! I think your organization is an astounding service to the public! It is so nice to see people like you make this service available to the public. I commend you in this service of screenings you offer at this price, it seems impossible to do this in today's society of medical expenses. The rising cost of healthcare today makes plenty suffer and the conformities of today's managed care makes us all susceptible to the realities of our scope of care. I am now your best supporter and I will happily refer you to all of my patients, and commend you accordingly in the community!

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